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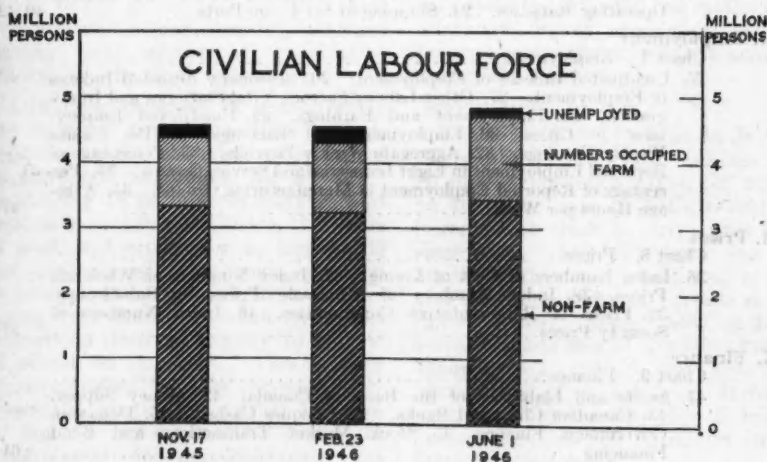
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ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN JULY

The change in six representative factors indicating the trend of economic conditions was moderate in July from the preceding month. Wholesale prices rose to a somewhat higher level in continuance of the upward trend in evidence during recent years. Despite the retardation caused by strike action productive operations were not greatly changed from the preceding month. Dominion bond prices receded slightly but the fluctuation of the last three months was insignificant. Bank deposits showed recession at the beginning of the month in spite of the rise in notice deposits to a new high point in history. Declines were shown in Dominion balances and in demand deposits. The recession in common stock prices continued for the third consecutive month, minor increase having been shown in speculative trading on the stock exchanges.

Canada's progress in reconverting her industry to a peace-time basis is reflected in the changing structure of employment as shown by all firms employing 15 or more employees and reporting monthly. During the years of peak war production as high as 65 per cent of all employees reported monthly were engaged in manufacturing but during the last year this proportion declined rapidly to a level of about 56 per cent. This is only slightly higher than in pre-war years when the proportion varied between 52 and 55 per cent. The decline in employment in manufacturing has been accompanied by increased employment in all other fields. This expansion has been most marked in construction, communications, and the trade and service industries. Mining also has shown a substantial gain in employment during last year but at June 1, 1946, the industry employed only 4.3 per cent of all employees reported as compared with an average

of 6.5 per cent of the total in the years 1936 to 1940.

Within the manufacturing field divergent trends are evident. Following a sharp decline in employment the iron and steel products group seems to have been stabilized and in recent months has employed slightly over 16 p.c. of the total reported employment. This is about the same relative level as this group occupied in 1929 and is well above its position during the thirties. Despite the high level of activity in the pulp and paper industry during recent months, it still has not regained the relative position in terms of its share of total employment which it occupied during the pre-war period. In contrast, employment in the electrical apparatus industry has retained the relatively higher proportion of total reported employment that it acquired during the war years.

Agriculture

The carry-over of wheat on July 31, the end of the crop year, was less than 70 million bushels against 258 million on the same date of 1945, reaching a lower point than in any other year since 1938. This low level was due mainly to the small wheat crop of 1945 and the magnitude of exports during the crop year. Wheat held on farms across Canada was 27.2 million bushels against 28.7 million one year ago. Marketings of wheat from farms in western Canada were 236.5 million bushels against 352.9 million in the preceding crop year.

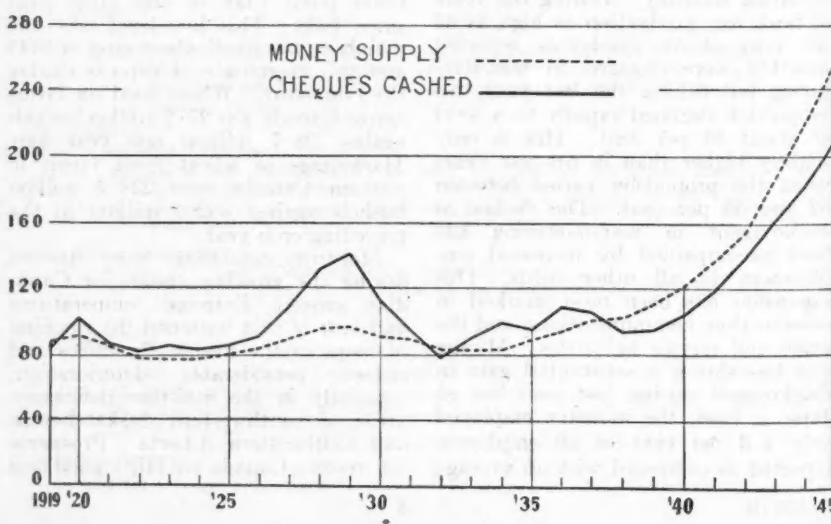
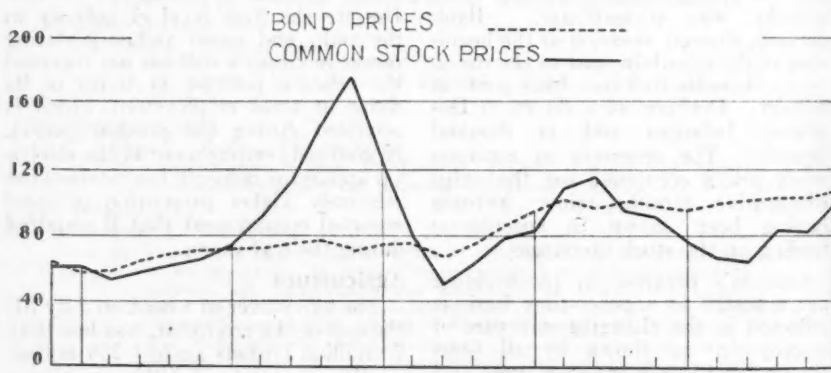
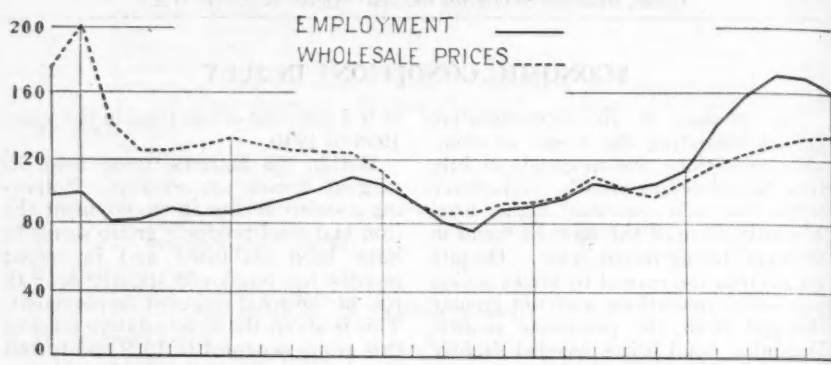
Moisture conditions were uneven during the growing season for Canadian crops. Extreme temperatures and lack of rain hastened the ripening of crops in the Prairie Provinces and caused considerable deterioration, especially in the moisture deficiency areas of southwestern Saskatchewan and southeastern Alberta. Prospects for western Canada are fairly good and

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some areas anticipate better than average yields. Cutting of grain was making good progress at mid-August, threshing and combining being under way in numerous sections.

The sale of live stock on stockyards rose sharply in July over the preceding month. Cattle sales were greater than in any other month since January. Marketings of hogs showed a contra-seasonal gain and the index of live-stock marketings rose consequently about 20 per cent. Storage holdings of food on August 1 showed improvement in most commodities when compared with one year ago, but were at a somewhat lower position than on July 1. Butter stocks were greater, exceeding the preceding month's holdings by almost 20 million pounds, while cheese stocks showed a reduction from 66.4 million pounds on August 1, 1945 to 51.8 million.

An index number of prices received for products sold by Canadian farmers was published for the first time this month. Based for the most part on reports received monthly from volunteer price correspondents throughout Canada, this index reflects changes in prices actually received by farmers. All subsidies, bonuses and premiums on specific products are included but storage and handling charges not received by the farmer are omitted. As of June 1, 1946, this index based on the average of 1935-1939 = 100 stood at 186.2. This was 1.8 points above May of this year and 8.1 points higher than June of 1945.

Mining and Forestry

A majority of the factors indicating the trend of mineral production showed decline in the latest month for which information is available. Exports of nickel and base metals continued in heavy volume. Copper exports were 19.1 million pounds, showing considerable increase over last June and July 1945. The exports of nickel were nearly 17 million pounds compared with 15.4 million in June. The standing, however, was somewhat lower than in the same month of last year. Zinc exports rose from 25 million pounds in June to 34.6 million in the month under review.

Production and shipments of newsprint showed substantial expansion during July. Production was 357,027 tons, representing an increase of nearly 31 per cent over the same month last year. Shipments were 29 per cent greater than in July 1945 and 64 per cent above the same month of 1939. The ratio of production to installed capacity was 99.2 per cent, representing 4,279,000 tons on an annual basis. Shipments to the United States showed an increase of about 34 per cent over July of last year, the total for the first seven months being 472,000 tons. Demand for newsprint in the United States continued to outstrip supply with a number of newspapers forced to maintain a rationing of advertising, despite the high level of newsprint production. The Office of Price Administration announced an increase retroactive to August 8, of \$7 per ton in prices of newsprint sold in the United States.

Durable Goods

Production of most durable consumers' goods was near or above pre-war levels by the end of June, 1946. Factory shipments of radio receiving sets during the first six months of 1946 amounted to 226,996 sets as compared with annual sales of 438,976 sets in 1940, the highest previous year. Part of this gain is due to the increased production of table rather than console models, illustrated by the fact that the average selling price in 1946 was only \$40 as compared with an average price of \$53 in 1940 and \$79 in 1938. Domestic type electric refrigerators to the number of 5,670 were produced in June, bringing the six-month total to 26,360. In 1941, the highest previous year, the average monthly production was 5,341 units. Production of all types of domestic washing machines totalled 59,223 during the first six months of 1946, somewhat less than one-half of the total of 128,262 produced in 1941. Production of automobiles amounted to 64,204 during the five months ended May, 1946, but of this total only 31,970 were passenger cars. Passenger cars to the number of 12,755 were produced in May, the largest volume in any single month since April, 1940.

Construction

Construction contracts to the value of \$67.7 million were awarded in July, a slight increase from the total awarded in June and a gain of \$17.2 million over July, 1945. The gain was entirely due to increased awards of business and engineering contracts, since the value of residential contracts was slightly lower. Contracts for the construction of churches, garages, hotels, office buildings, stores and theatres have shown sharp increase during recent months. Contracts to the value of \$77.0 million were awarded for the above class of construction during the 12 months ended July, 1946, as compared with \$21.4 million during the calendar year 1945.

In the residential field, apartment construction has recently shown signs of increasing activity. During the 12 months ended July, 1946, contracts to the value of \$11.4 million were awarded for apartment construction as compared with \$6.3 in 1945. However, this still only amounts to 5.4 per cent of all residential contracts awarded, a much lower proportion than in the pre-war period. During the period 1927 to 1930 contracts for apartment construction averaged over 20 per cent of all residential contracts, while from 1936 to 1940 it averaged over 12 per cent.

During the first six months of 1946, 11,468 dwelling units were completed in 325 municipalities and a number of unorganized areas across Canada. Though no comparable figures for the first half of 1945 are available, 22,343 dwelling units were completed in these same areas during the entire year. This compares with the total reported by some 623 municipalities for all Canada of 47,767 dwelling units completed in 1945.

Exports

Canada's domestic exports in July amounted to \$188.7 million, a gain of \$22 million over the June total but well below the \$282.7 million of July, 1945. For the seven-month period ended July the most substantial gains over last year were shown by alcoholic beverages, amounting to \$4.7 million,

fish and fishery products \$5.7 million, furs \$6.2 million, newsprint \$45.9 million, farm implements and machinery \$7.3 million, passenger automobiles \$5.5 million, lead and zinc \$10.7 million and locomotives and railway cars and parts with an increase of \$14.7 million. The latter represents a recent development in Canada's export trade and in the current year her two chief customers to date have been Belgium (\$24.8 million) and British India (\$9.8 million).

Retail Distribution

Retail sales in June were at about the same dollar level as in May and 10 per cent above June of last year. Though this is a somewhat smaller increase over last year's level than the 15 per cent gain recorded for the first five months, it does not indicate any falling off in sales but merely reflects the high level of sales for June, 1945. Sales in radio and electrical stores, furniture stores and hardware stores all continue to show large increases over June of last year. In comparison with the first six months of 1941, sales in hardware stores are up 92 per cent and now show a larger increase than the average gain of 63 per cent for all stores. Radio and electrical stores with a gain of 42 per cent and furniture stores with a gain of 50 per cent show less than average increases. In interpreting the higher sales level it should be noted that the civilian population is now at least 6 per cent larger than it was a year ago, and the retail prices index as of June 1, was 4.5 per cent above June 1, 1945.

Dominion Finance

Current government expenditures (ordinary plus demobilization and reconversion) amounted to \$808.0 million for the first four months of the current fiscal year. During the same period total receipts, including receipts from the sales of War Assets of \$75.3 million amounted to \$937.2 million, thus creating a surplus for the period on current operations of \$129.2 million. However, this surplus was still insufficient to cover advances of \$210 million made to the United Kingdom and other governments.

I. Analytical and General

I. BUSINESS INDEXES, SUBJECT TO REVISION

Seasonally stated Indexes 1935-6=100	1945						1946						
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Physical Volume of Business	212.7	212.7	205.3	194.5	199.9	193.9	195.4	181.2	191.4	192.8	184.2	178.9	186.3
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION	230.1	226.5	223.9	210.8	197.7	194.5	193.9	188.2	199.0	197.9	189.6	179.4	181.1
Mineral Production	160.9	156.2	150.4	132.9	130.6	114.0	119.7	98.1	143.5	142.0	155.8	158.7	155.3
Gold, mint receipts	61.4	64.2	57.5	63.4	61.3	55.7	65.0	69.8	69.4	83.2	74.5	72.7	65.9
Coal Production	113.4	121.0	92.4	71.1	107.1	102.5	122.7	131.3	135.2	144.2	142.4	125.2	118.2
Manufacturing	248.9	247.6	244.1	231.9	211.0	206.3	202.8	197.9	190.7	189.9	186.9	181.4	181.2
Crop Products	156.9	169.8	171.2	186.7	189.5	182.6	228.7	203.9	191.2	185.4	181.7	177.1	172.9
Flour production	156.9	158.7	148.9	136.2	136.2	136.2	219.7	223.6	216.6	204.2	188.2	186.7	186.7
Oatmeal production	167.7	180.9	211.5	190.3	219.7	210.1	200.7	231.9	285.4	307.6	282.2	206.7	174.9
Tobacco	162.5	191.1	194.2	255.6	268.6	247.0	334.9	254.3	213.1	215.0	199.0	187.0	174.9
Cigar releases	122.6	125.4	129.1	132.5	129.9	186.9	259.4	259.8	232.9	198.7	163.3	137.3	133.5
Cigarette releases	165.7	196.4	199.4	265.7	280.0	251.9	341.1	253.7	211.4	216.3	201.9	191.1	178.3
Animal Products	123.0	134.5	148.7	129.7	172.9	180.7	161.6	156.6	137.4	161.1	116.5	106.9	113.9
Inspected slaughtering	142.4	149.1	153.9	171.1	193.7	175.3	164.8	143.8	148.4	141.8	120.8	117.0	134.1
Cattle	147.5	164.4	183.3	193.5	240.2	226.6	187.1	165.3	152.1	137.5	111.5	129.9	160.3
Sheep	96.2	142.8	145.6	140.7	190.3	162.8	198.0	163.5	152.2	135.4	84.8	71.4	119.4
Hogs	140.4	137.4	131.5	155.1	157.6	136.1	145.9	126.2	144.0	145.4	129.9	109.1	116.3
Creamery butter	114.0	117.6	117.2	110.3	106.1	101.6	102.8	103.2	111.5	127.4	119.3	108.2	109.7
Factory cheese	148.1	147.8	142.4	136.2	147.0	242.8	125.6	101.7	160.0	262.5	161.3	139.9	125.5
Boots and shoes production	123.6	123.8	123.1	164.5	226.2	208.6	223.2	170.4	161.6	164.1	166.0	162.9	162.9
Textiles	123.0	128.2	125.3	133.2	130.8	126.1	131.6	131.3	139.0	139.4	144.0	131.5	132.7
Cotton consumption	125.0	125.2	123.8	133.2	135.1	134.5	138.4	136.7	146.9	144.0	143.2	123.0	143.2
Wood and paper	105.6	111.5	110.2	116.3	113.9	114.0	137.3	141.4	139.4	131.2	134.4	131.3	143.2
Newsprint	105.6	111.5	110.2	116.3	113.9	114.0	137.3	141.4	139.4	131.2	134.4	131.3	143.2
Iron and steel	469.5	473.1	463.4	422.7	355.0	341.9	314.6	301.6	288.4	279.4	283.5	279.9	272.6
Steel production	206.4	207.4	196.8	193.7	194.7	197.8	205.6	203.3	194.0	197.4	227.7	205.4	112.6
Pig-iron production	226.9	197.3	203.4	248.1	204.2	187.6	191.3	212.1	224.6	211.1	218.8	189.3	95.6
Non-metallic minerals	159.8	159.0	164.4	167.5	153.7	168.3	164.2	160.3	157.6	201.2	160.4	158.4	156.4
Coke production	175.4	177.0	172.1	151.3	138.7	145.1	145.0	151.7	158.8	141.5	137.9	152.5	107.9
Construction	170.2	145.5	167.9	137.2	201.0	230.2	252.5	254.2	441.1	426.3	302.6	204.6	237.0
Contracts awarded	164.4	132.3	149.3	115.2	192.8	234.8	220.0	251.4	418.7	403.7	289.6	206.7	224.1
Building permits	193.6	197.9	242.1	224.7	238.1	212.0	381.8	285.3	530.4	516.2	354.5	193.3	288.3
Electric power	161.3	154.6	146.3	144.8	139.7	141.8	131.8	152.9	155.6	164.1	166.5	164.5	168.2
DISTRIBUTION	179.7	184.0	166.8	160.7	173.7	189.8	198.7	166.7	175.9	182.3	173.4	178.0	178.6
Carloadings	181.2	141.5	119.4	129.1	138.2	143.2	154.3	147.0	150.1	143.9	146.4	141.3	150.7
Tons carried	204.6	191.1	141.5	140.0	156.6	177.4	190.2	152.5	198.5	187.9	184.4	193.7	187.9
Imports	163.0	153.2	151.1	154.0	188.8	170.0	203.9	165.9	167.4	186.3	157.2	166.0	180.4
Exports	367.0	329.0	239.9	211.2	218.2	232.8	227.9	187.5	212.7	206.6	195.6	172.8	195.1
Grain and Live Stock	213.7	84.2	70.6	111.2	117.1	106.6	163.7	68.8	66.0	124.6	160.5	97.1	146.6
MARKETINGS	74.03	51.1	50.4	105.3	105.6	82.5	168.9	52.5	54.3	129.9	177.7	92.9	146.4
GRAIN MARKETINGS ¹	528.4	62.4	63.6	123.7	146.7	105.8	221.2	70.3	82.1	202.0	222.0	119.3	194.8
Wheat	674.8	694.2	375.4	262.4	181.9	342.7	735.2	178.6	42.0	316.9	732.8	347.7	484.7
Oats	144.4	128.6	119.0	136.6	156.9	176.1	140.9	139.2	117.0	101.4	86.0	115.4	138.7
LIVE STOCK MARKETINGS	153.6	136.0	126.4	149.1	189.0	210.0	160.8	160.7	129.5	102.1	87.3	132.1	156.0
Cattle	108.0	90.4	82.8	101.0	114.9	100.0	78.1	79.2	96.1	125.4	93.6	80.6	97.4
Calves	144.2	126.5	113.9	114.0	109.0	100.6	99.0	99.3	97.2	101.6	87.5	90.9	103.9
Hogs	103.6	116.8	116.3	138.0	211.6	162.7	156.5	118.4	84.4	92.6	78.8	61.7	105.7
Sheep	141.5	157.9	144.9	146.6	136.8	121.3	114.1	106.9	122.7	150.9	151.5	141.4	163.2
Cold Storage Holdings ²	97.4	106.2	106.9	107.5	103.1	98.4	82.6	55.7	64.5	153.1	223.3	120.7	206.3
Butter	172.1	141.1	138.3	140.8	157.7	100.5	102.9	97.4	102.1	134.4	190.4	174.5	134.4
Cheese	125.6	160.3	220.5	183.9	176.0	180.7	147.0	135.2	127.9	100.7	92.4	132.9	112.8
Beef	88.6	91.6	105.4	111.2	100.8	95.2	100.0	99.2	121.7	135.9	135.2	137.8	125.4
Pork	205.7	441.1	245.0	100.7	93.6	98.9	91.3	76.8	87.7	81.4	91.2	113.7	231.0
Mutton	161.3	187.6	237.7	320.3	208.4	112.0	92.3	83.3	82.8	82.8	84.4	116.3	186.2
Foultry	81.3	36.9	39.3	40.8	41.8	37.6	33.1	82.1	66.6	41.1	33.5	28.6	25.1
Veal	173.1	184.2	185.8	162.1	177.4	156.5	129.2	100.9	127.9	142.2	116.7	112.7	116.5
Percentage of Unemployment ³	.87	1.30	2.10	2.78	3.85	5.13	6.60	7.33	7.01	5.61	4.47	3.73	3.10

¹ Receipts at country Elevators.² First of following month.³ Percentage of recorded unemployment

among persons insured under Unemployment Insurance.

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SITUATION ÉCONOMIQUE EN JUILLET

Les six facteurs représentatifs qui indiquent la tendance de la situation économique ne varient que modérément en juillet comparativement au mois précédent. Les prix de gros persistent dans la tendance à la hausse des années récentes et atteignent un niveau quelque peu plus élevé. En dépit du ralentissement causé par les grèves, les opérations productives changent peu par rapport au mois dernier. Le cours des obligations du Dominion décline légèrement, mais la fluctuation durant les trois derniers mois est très faible. Les dépôts bancaires diminuent au début du mois malgré la hausse des dépôts à terme à un nouveau sommet historique. Le solde fédéral et les dépôts à demande sont à la baisse. Le déclin du cours des obligations ordinaires persiste pour le troisième mois consécutif; les transactions boursières augmentent un peu.

Les progrès du Canada dans le retour à une industrie de paix se reflètent dans l'armature changeante de l'emploiement, d'après les rapports mensuels fournis par tous les établissements qui emploient 15 personnes ou plus. Durant les années de production de guerre maximum, jusqu'à 65 p.c. de tous les employeurs faisant rapport chaque mois s'occupaient de fabrication, mais l'année dernière, cette proportion décline rapidement à un niveau d'environ 56 p.c., soit à peine plus élevé qu'avant la guerre alors qu'elle variait de 52 à 55 p.c. Le déclin de l'emploiement dans les industries manufacturières s'accompagne d'une augmentation dans toutes les autres sphères. Cette expansion est très marquée dans la construction, les communications, le commerce et les services. L'emploiement dans l'industrie minière augmente aussi considérablement l'année dernière, mais au 1er juin 1946, l'industrie n'emploie que 4.3 p.c. de tous les employés déclarés, en comparaison d'une moyenne de 6.5 p.c. du total de 1936 à 1940.

Le domaine manufacturier est marqué de tendances divergentes. L'emploiement dans le groupe des produits du fer et de l'acier, après un rapide déclin, s'est apparemment stabilisé. Ces derniers mois, le groupe absorbe un peu plus de 16 p.c. de l'emploiement total; il s'établit à peu près au même niveau relatif qu'en 1929 et dépasse de beaucoup celui de 1930 à 1940.

Malgré l'activité très élevée dans la pulpe et le papier ces mois récents, cette industrie n'a pas encore repris le niveau relatif qu'elle occupait avant la guerre, par rapport à l'emploiement global. Par contraste, l'emploiement dans l'industrie des appareils électriques conserve la proportion relativement plus élevée d'emploiement total qu'elle avait atteinte pendant la guerre.

Agriculture.—

Le report de blé, le 31 juillet, à la fin de la campagne agricole, s'établit à moins de 70,000,000 de boisseaux contre 258,000,000 à la même date de 1945; c'est un niveau moins élevé qu'en toute autre année depuis 1938. Cette baisse découle principalement de la récolte peu abondante de 1945 et du volume considérable d'exportations au cours de la campagne agricole. La quantité globale de blé sur les fermes dans tout le Canada est de 27,200,000 boisseaux contre 28,700,000 boisseaux il y a un an. Les livraisons de blé par les fermes de l'Ouest canadien touchent 236,500,000 boisseaux, comparativement à 352,900,000 boisseaux la campagne agricole précédente.

La situation de l'humidité a été inégale au cours de la saison de végétation. La température extrême et la sécheresse ont hâté la maturation des cultures dans les Provinces des Prairies, et causé une grave détérioration, particulièrement dans les régions du sud-ouest de la Saskatchewan et du sud-est de l'Alberta où l'humidité a été insuffisante. Les perspectives quant à

l'Ouest canadien sont passables et diverses régions promettent des rendements au-dessus de la moyenne. La coupe du grain va bon train à la mi-août; le battage et le moissonnage-battage sont commencés dans plusieurs sections.

Les ventes d'animaux dans les parcs à bestiaux augmentent rapidement en juillet au regard du mois précédent. Les ventes de bêtes à cornes sont plus fortes qu'en tout autre mois depuis janvier. Les ventes de porcs font un gain contre-saisonnier et l'indice de l'écoulement de bestiaux augmente en conséquence de 20 p.c. Les stocks d'aliments en entrepôts le 1er août s'améliorent dans le cas de la plupart des denrées, comparativement à l'an dernier, mais ils s'établissent à un niveau quelque peu inférieur à celui du 1er juillet. Les approvisionnements de beurre sont plus élevés; ils dépassent de près de 20,000,000 de livres ceux du mois précédent. Les stocks de fromage diminuent de 66,400,000 livres le 1er août 1945 à 51,800,000 livres.

Un nombre-indice des prix obtenus par les cultivateurs canadiens pour leurs produits est publié pour la première fois ce mois-ci. Fondé généralement sur les relevés des prix fournis mensuellement par les correspondants à travers le pays, cet indice révèle les fluctuations des prix effectivement obtenus par les fermiers. Toutes les subventions, boni et primes relatifs à des produits déterminés figurent à cet indice, mais les frais d'entreposage et de manutention qui ne sont pas payés au cultivateur sont omis. Le 1er juin 1946, cet indice, fondé sur la moyenne de 1935-39=100, s'établit à 186.2, soit 1.8 point au-dessus de celui de mai cette année et 8.1 points de plus que celui de juin 1945.

Mines et forêts

La majorité des facteurs qui indiquent la tendance de la production minérale diminuent durant le dernier mois statistique. Les exportations de nickel et de métal basique demeurent volumineuses; celles de cuivre sont de 19,100,000 livres, soit une augmentation considérable par rapport à juin dernier et à juillet 1945; celles de nickel atteignent presque 17,000,000

de livres contre 15,400,000 livres en juin. Toutefois, le niveau est un peu moins élevé qu'au même mois l'an dernier. Les exportations de zinc passent de 25,000,000 de livres en juin à 34,600,000 livres au cours du mois présentement à l'étude.

La production et les expéditions de papier à journal progressent sensiblement en juillet. La production touche 357,027 tonnes, soit une augmentation de près de 31 p.c. en comparaison du même mois l'an dernier. Les expéditions dépassent de 29 p.c. celles de juillet 1945 et de 64 p.c. celles du même mois de 1939. La production est de 99.2 p.c. par rapport au rendement maximum possible, ce qui représente 4,279,000 tonnes annuellement. Les expéditions aux Etats-Unis augmentent d'environ 34 p.c. auprès de juillet l'an dernier; le total des sept premiers mois s'établit à 472,000 tonnes. La demande de papier à journal aux Etats-Unis continue d'excéder les approvisionnements; un certain nombre de journaux se voient forcés de restreindre la publicité malgré la grande production de papier à journal. L'Administration des prix annonce une augmentation de prix, rétroactive à compter du 8 août, de \$7 la tonne de papier à journal vendu aux Etats-Unis.

Marchandises durables

La production de la plupart des marchandises durables de consommation approche ou dépasse les niveaux d'avant-guerre à la fin de juin 1946. Les fabriques de postes récepteurs radiophoniques expédient, au cours du premier semestre de 1946, 226,996 radios, comparativement au total de 438,976 en 1940, le dernier maximum atteint. Une partie de cette augmentation découle de la production plus abondante de radios de table plutôt que de radios-meubles, démontrée par la moyenne du prix-plafond en 1946 qui s'établit à \$40 seulement comparativement à \$53 en 1940 et à \$79 en 1938.

La production de réfrigérateurs électriques ménagers en juin touche 5,670 et durant le semestre, 26,360. En 1941, dernier sommet atteint, la production mensuelle moyenne est de

5,341 unités. La production de lessiveuses ménagères de tous genres est de 59,223 durant le premier semestre de 1946, soit un peu moins que la moitié du total de 128,262 en 1941. La production d'autos s'élève à 64,204 au cours des cinq mois terminés en mai 1946; de ce total, 31,970 seulement sont des véhicules de tourisme. La production d'automobiles de tourisme en mai atteint 12,755 et dépasse celle de tout autre mois depuis avril 1940.

Construction

Il est adjugé \$67,700,000 de contrats de construction en juillet, soit un léger déclin vis-à-vis le total adjugé en juin et un gain de \$17,200,000 auprès du total de juillet 1945. L'augmentation résulte exclusivement du plus grand nombre de contrats commerciaux et de travaux de génie, puisque la valeur des contrats pour l'érection de résidences est quelque peu moins élevée. Les contrats relatifs à la construction d'églises, de garages, d'hôtels, de bureaux, de magasins et de théâtres augmentent sensiblement depuis quelques mois. Durant les 12 mois terminés en juillet 1946, des contrats d'une valeur de \$77,000,000 sont adjugés à la catégorie de construction susmentionnée, à rapprocher de \$21,400,000 au cours de l'année civile 1945.

Quant aux résidences, la construction de maisons d'appartements donne dernièrement des signes d'activité grandissante. Pendant les 12 mois terminés en juillet 1946, des contrats d'une valeur de \$11,400,000 sont adjugés en faveur de la construction de maisons d'appartements, en comparaison de \$6,300,000 en 1945. Toutefois, ce chiffre n'atteint que 5.4 p.c. de tous les contrats adjugés à la construction de résidences; la proportion est beaucoup moins élevée qu'avant la guerre. De 1927 à 1930, les contrats adjugés à la construction de maisons d'appartements touchent en moyenne plus de 20 p.c. de tous les contrats pour résidences, tandis que de 1936 à 1940, la moyenne n'est que de 12 p.c.

Au cours du premier semestre de 1946, 11,468 unités de logement sont terminées dans 325 municipalités et un certain nombre de régions non organisées à travers le pays. Bien qu'il n'y ait pas de chiffres comparatifs disponibles pour le semestre de 1945, 22,343 logements sont terminés dans les mêmes régions durant l'année entière, en comparaison du total de 47,767 logements terminés en 1945, d'après les rapports de 623 municipalités par tout le Canada.

Exportations

Les exportations domestiques du Canada en juillet s'élèvent à \$188,700,000, soit un gain de \$22,000,000 par rapport à juin, mais une diminution marquée de \$282,700,000 auprès de juillet 1945. Durant les sept mois terminés en juillet, les gains les plus marqués par rapport à l'an dernier sont les suivants: boissons alcooliques, \$4,700,000; poissons et produits de la pêche, \$5,700,000; fourrures, \$6,200,000; papier à journal, \$45,900,000; outillage et machinerie agricoles, \$7,300,000; automobiles de tourisme, \$5,500,000; plomb et zinc, \$10,700,000; locomotives, wagons et pièces, \$14,700,000. Ce dernier item représente une innovation récente dans les exportations canadiennes et durant l'année actuelle et, à daté, les deux principaux acheteurs sont la Belgique (\$24,800,000) et les Indes britanniques (\$9,800,000).

Distribution de détail

Les ventes de détail en juin s'établissent à peu près au même niveau de dollars qu'en mai et à 10 p.c. au-dessus de celui de juin l'an dernier. Bien que ce soit là une augmentation, par rapport au niveau de l'an dernier, inférieure au gain enregistré durant les cinq premiers mois, cela n'indique d'aucune façon que les ventes diminuent; elle reflète simplement le niveau élevé des ventes en juin dernier. Les ventes des magasins de radios et d'accessoires électriques, des magasins de meubles et des quincailleries continuent d'augmenter sensiblement par rapport à juin l'an dernier. Comparativement au premier semestre de 1941, les ventes des quincailleries augmentent de 92 p.c. et accusent maintenant une hausse plus considérable que le gain moyen de 63 p.c. pour tous les magasins.

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Item	1945						1946						
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Canada—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	50,496	40,531	42,045	29,425	44,998	25,787	27,396	33,092	57,598	75,919	82,199	66,402	61,673
Building permits.....\$000	19,939	23,277	20,038	19,643	18,284	15,321	15,252	16,563	39,567	55,408	45,324	31,172	33,107
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	3,285	3,238	3,079	3,309	3,237	3,289	3,429	3,183	3,537	3,506	3,616	3,415	3,423
Employment average, 1926=100	175-0	172-8	168-7	171-2	173-2	168-2	167-2	167-0	168-9	169-3	169-9	173-5	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	5,419	4,727	5,127	5,749	8,581	6,085	5,991	5,336	5,678	5,735	6,116	5,609	5,547
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	68,718	59,577	64,252	84,814	91,170	81,451	81,948	87,621	101,992	104,164	104,725	103,925	105,918
MARITIME PROVINCES—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	2,726	2,933	2,352	3,343	1,974	1,014	1,516	726	3,336	3,304	2,892	7,410	3,218
Building permits.....\$000	718	663	997	850	497	194	437	263	1,077	1,690	2,023	2,057	2,024
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	99	95	92	103	100	98	101	88	95	101	102	99	99
Employment average, 1926=100	176-4	173-2	170-5	178-2	186-7	169-5	165-7	164-4	168-8	167-8	172-9	175-9	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	120-2	104-5	144-9	120-4	200-1	137-8	122-7	106-8	123-7	117-8	176-0	138-9	143-2
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	4,791	4,789	5,352	6,269	6,421	5,955	5,794	5,701	6,764	6,968	7,581	7,175	7,413
QUEBEC—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	17,418	13,089	13,438	10,308	12,531	9,356	12,446	5,501	26,450	20,508	22,801	15,468	15,934
Buildings permits.....\$000	6,274	6,131	5,257	4,620	4,130	3,928	2,878	5,903	12,835	15,068	12,960	7,464	10,560
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	1,859	1,820	1,661	1,780	1,708	1,740	1,870	1,754	1,959	1,978	2,085	1,966	1,995
Employment average, 1926=100	181-6	178-1	175-0	178-8	179-4	171-8	170-4	171-8	172-5	170-3	174-8	175-6	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	1,486	1,345	1,399	1,494	2,478	1,744	1,655	1,608	1,638	1,610	1,885	1,801	1,797
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	19,703	17,517	18,558	24,124	25,096	21,933	21,308	22,948	26,544	27,170	26,531	27,000	28,363
ONTARIO—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	18,515	13,580	14,726	9,679	19,058	9,355	8,984	19,107	15,683	38,082	29,968	26,685	32,909
Building permits.....\$000	7,249	10,684	6,335	7,554	8,483	5,417	5,341	5,021	14,860	20,696	16,530	12,262	13,335
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	880	867	857	925	905	911	925	860	947	918	925	888	860
Employment average, 1926=100	177-0	175-2	169-6	170-8	173-1	172-2	173-9	173-6	175-5	176-7	178-4	179-5	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	2,482	2,039	2,419	2,572	4,037	2,846	2,854	2,531	2,674	2,722	2,544	2,445	2,361
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	27,072	22,899	24,865	34,897	37,359	35,138	36,440	40,106	46,760	46,225	45,469	45,333	44,681
PRAIRIE PROVINCES—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	7,501	7,321	8,464	5,149	5,871	2,769	1,496	2,210	8,597	11,343	11,907	8,050	11,031
Building permits.....\$000	3,580	3,817	3,860	4,467	2,679	2,888	2,575	1,446	5,786	12,646	10,241	7,107	3,868
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	217	223	241	260	278	291	294	265	287	290	270	236	234
Employment average, 1926=100	147-5	147-2	147-4	150-6	153-6	150-6	145-7	145-3	146-8	149-1	153-3	158-0	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	966	903	861	1,155	1,300	949	899	697	806	861	1,011	795-7	831-9
Sales of life insurance.....\$000	12,159	10,232	11,126	13,747	15,554	12,143	13,058	12,162	14,436	16,221	16,774	16,954	16,656
BRITISH COLUMBIA—													
Contracts awarded.....\$000	4,335	3,608	3,066	949	5,564	3,290	2,953	5,549	3,532	2,681	14,631	8,792	4,581
Building permits.....\$000	2,179	1,981	3,574	2,150	2,524	2,894	4,022	3,930	5,000	5,302	3,570	2,282	3,321
Electric power, 000,000 K.W.H.	230	233	228	241	240	249	239	216	246	240	234	226	235
Employment average, 1926=100	180-1	183-6	174-2	172-5	171-5	163-7	159-8	156-4	160-7	163-9	139-3	160-07	.....
Bank debits.....\$000,000	344-5	334-4	333-1	408-4	565-7	408-2	459-7	393-3	436-7	443-4	500-0	428-7	413-4
Sale of life insurance.....\$000	4,903	4,140	4,351	5,777	5,850	6,282	5,348	6,704	7,488	7,680	8,370	7,463	8,806
PORTAL STATISTICS—													
Money Orders Sold.....No. 000	1,437	1,521	1,803	1,982	2,163	2,245	1,692	1,721	2,336	2,221	1,940	1,816	.....
Value, \$000	19,821	21,717	25,163	28,474	29,434	27,596	21,017	21,106	29,105	28,868	24,732	23,338

¹ Employment as at first of following month.

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3. WEEKLY INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY, 1946

Item	June				July				August		
	8	15	22	29	6	13	20	27	3	10	17
Statistics of Grain Trade—											
RECEIPTS COUNTRY ELEVATORS—											
Wheat.....000 bushels.....	2,156	2,000	2,770	3,037	2,947	1,195	1,376	2,254	3,009	1,391	2,030
Oats.....000 bushels.....	1,671	1,479	1,646	1,406	896	840	926	1,605	2,801	770	1,239
Barley.....000 bushels.....	596	539	549	463	317	273	341	673	1,443	728	935
Flax.....000 bushels.....	10	13	9	6	3	2	1	2	5	46	51
Rye.....000 bushels.....	7	4	13	7	6	8	4	15	95	265	225
VISIBLE SUPPLY—											
Wheat.....000,000 bushels.....	50.8	54.2	50.0	47.0	45.8	43.7	41.0	39.8	39.6	39.6	38.0
Oats.....000 bushels.....	27,085	25,642	25,406	24,522	23,800	22,716	21,982	21,880	23,436	23,710	23,891
Barley.....000 bushels.....	18,446	17,869	17,422	16,650	16,035	14,985	14,206	13,918	14,350	14,778	15,224
Flax.....000 bushels.....	1,628	1,537	1,423	1,347	1,285	1,155	1,121	1,026	1,002	1,000	932
Rye.....000 bushels.....	868	354	358	351	306	310	258	267	374	771	1,162
AVER. CASH PRICE FORT WILLIAM AND PORT ARTHUR—Cents and eighths of a cent.											
Wheat No. 1 Man. Nor. per bus.....	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125
Oats, No. 2 C.W.....	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4
Barley No. 3 C.W.....	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6	64/6
Rye No. 2 C.W.....	265/1	279/1	298/6	306/2	312/2	304/1	276	278/4	287/4	227/3	195/3
Sales and Prices of Live Stock—											
SALES IN STOCKYARDS—											
Cattle.....	17,019	18,919	18,298	15,134	20,682	20,163	19,613	22,769	27,419	31,287	29,998
Calves.....	9,707	9,531	9,642	7,344	9,505	8,486	8,674	9,369	10,340	10,222	8,830
Hogs.....	14,045	13,153	13,221	10,595	13,758	11,904	10,184	11,321	11,301	10,767	10,108
Sheep.....	3,292	4,750	6,253	3,835	6,107	10,738	9,549	11,255	12,098	16,104	18,738
PRICES AT TORONTO—											
Steers, medium.....per cwt.....	13-70	13-81	13-65	13-50	13-35	13-04	12-14	12-22	12-14	12-10	12-05
Calves, good veal.....	16-40	15-30	14-75	14-50	14-10	14-53	14-62	15-00	15-00	15-72	15-00
Hogs, B 1 dressed.....	20-85	20-85	21-00	21-10	21-50	20-72	20-63	20-85	21-10	21-10	21-35
Lambs, good handyweights.....	17-23	16-50	16-25	16-88	16-84	17-27	16-74	16-91	16-49	15-72	15-35
Carloadings—											
Grain.....	4,925	4,816	5,494	5,757	3,997	4,088	4,415	5,276	5,845	4,725	5,306
Grain Products.....	3,306	3,113	3,126	3,154	2,428	3,102	3,072	2,794	2,898	2,854	3,017
Live stock.....	2,043	2,063	1,990	1,828	2,096	2,168	2,037	2,196	2,345	2,476	2,435
Coal.....	4,635	4,508	4,999	4,844	4,050	4,465	3,983	4,294	4,878	4,739	4,844
Coke.....	778	782	1,031	812	830	790	536	528	494	479	534
Lumber, lath and shingles.....	3,249	3,461	3,561	3,756	3,656	4,532	4,711	4,703	4,597	4,538	4,599
Pulpwood.....	4,221	4,349	4,237	4,378	4,093	4,799	4,698	4,148	4,710	4,087	4,050
Pulp and paper.....	3,876	3,925	4,008	3,449	3,172	3,659	3,708	3,810	3,787	3,672	3,778
Logs and other forest products.....	1,847	1,871	2,081	2,179	2,231	2,488	2,269	2,279	2,133	2,315	2,293
Ores and other mine products.....	3,267	3,539	3,672	3,762	2,998	3,361	3,149	3,596	3,342	3,661	3,578
Hay and straw.....	242	313	301	210	201	177	203	237	228	243	253
Fresh fruits.....	33	54	80	223	136	124	131	189	312	399	573
Fresh vegetables.....	221	174	143	180	294	485	392	394	445	460	462
Fresh meats and packing house products.....	466	416	421	458	406	482	457	470	456	513	572
Sand, stone, gravel, lime, brick and cement.....	4,068	4,829	4,517	4,167	3,902	4,300	4,337	4,370	4,202	4,043	4,320
Petroleum oils including gasoline.....	3,497	3,423	3,427	3,362	3,072	3,579	3,843	3,748	3,816	3,771	3,943
Sugar.....	218	203	262	250	200	266	278	244	254	225	230
Implement, tractors and machinery.....	569	670	565	503	503	577	556	709	696	637	539
Automobiles and parts.....	1,014	886	921	890	749	872	843	954	688	404	828
Mdse. L. C. L.....	17,713	17,298	17,532	17,322	14,463	17,097	17,156	17,294	17,108	15,769	17,055
Miscellaneous.....	5,670	5,443	5,686	5,580	4,766	5,268	5,211	5,377	5,010	4,638	5,251
Total cars loaded.....	69,766	69,208	71,096	70,060	60,623	70,076	68,173	70,259	70,579	66,847	70,841
Total cars received from connections.....	32,006	33,345	36,011	35,432	30,715	31,473	33,556	34,728	36,300	35,268	34,740

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3. WEEKLY INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY—Concluded

	June				July				August			
	8	15	22	29	6	13	20	27	3	10	17	24
Commodity and Stock Prices—												
COMMODITY PRICES.												
Industrial Material Prices, 1926=100.....	103-0	103-3	103-4	103-6	103-6	103-3	103-3	102-7	102-9	103-1	105-0	105-0
Canadian Farm Products, 1926=100.....	109-2	109-8	109-8	109-7	111-3	111-3	110-4	109-9	112-0	111-8	111-0	111-0
STOCK AVERAGES.												
Montreal Stock Exchange—												
Utilities (10).....	80-4	81-9	79-3	79-3	79-2	78-9	77-6	76-5	77-7	76-9	77-9	76-9
Industrials (20).....	148-8	146-7	145-1	146-8	144-3	142-8	139-5	135-3	138-1	139-7	140-0	139-9
Paper (10).....	391-02	386-82	373-26	386-70	367-29	371-82	353-73	341-28	353-81	367-99	373-95	368-98
Toronto Stock Exchange—												
Industrials (20).....	205-46	206-61	203-35	205-85	205-44	202-53	197-69	193-18	199-49	201-48	204-43	203-54
Gold (20).....	122-22	122-23	119-61	121-37	115-13	111-79	101-33	102-78	104-09	102-80	104-61	104-08
Base metals (10).....	99-88	101-40	98-80	99-85	97-46	93-72	90-07	87-77	88-93	90-02	91-28	91-15
Western oils (15).....	27-62	27-28	26-24	26-02	25-59	25-49	25-00	23-48	24-38	24-46	24-22	24-30

4. ENTRIES OF AUTOMOBILES INTO CANADA VIA THE INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY ON TRAVELLERS' VEHICLE PERMITS

Economic Areas	1945						1946						
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Maritime Provinces	6,995	8,200	7,333	5,235	3,314	1,588	1,103	1,365	2,461	3,216	5,303	10,446	16,309
Quebec.....	20,685	28,467	25,562	16,252	9,398	5,475	3,925	4,119	8,106	12,290	18,112	32,595	53,709
Ontario.....	105,844	128,862	92,511	50,019	30,866	17,385	15,190	16,048	27,682	39,309	65,578	112,688	187,783
Manitoba.....	1,467	1,478	1,611	1,113	602	425	217	145	279	725	1,541	3,412	4,856
Saskatchewan.....	986	693	720	475	132	58	54	31	99	298	886	2,052	2,237
Alberta.....	494	565	583	366	204	139	99	102	214	266	549	2,287	5,318
British Columbia.....	14,536	18,917	17,648	11,473	8,814	8,375	6,192	8,037	8,551	8,448	13,530	19,882	30,423
Totals.....	151,007	187,212	145,968	84,933	53,330	33,442	26,780	29,847	47,492	64,550	105,499	183,362	300,635

5. CANADIAN FAILURES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS¹

Branches of Business	1945							1946						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Trade.....		2	2	3	6	3	3	5	5	6	8	3	4	
Manufactures.....	3	2	2	2	1	1	1	9	2	5	3	5	6	
Agriculture.....														
Logging, Fishing, Trapping.....											1			
Mining.....		1									1			1
Construction.....	2	3		2	2	3	4	1	1	1	1	1	3	2
Transportation.....		1				1	1	1		2	2	1	1	
Finance.....														
Service.....	3	2	2	3	2	6	2	4	5	3	6	3	4	
Unclassified.....	1	2	1	2		1	1			1		2	2	
Totals.....	9	13	7	12	11	15	11	20	14	20	21	18	20	

6. COMMERCIAL FAILURES AS REPORTED IN DUN'S STATISTICAL REVIEW

Province	1945							1946						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Prince Edward Island.....														1
Nova Scotia.....														
New Brunswick.....														
Quebec.....	5	4	1	6	1	14	4	9	6	12	8	3	4	
Ontario.....	1	2	1			2				2				
Manitoba.....		1	1				1		1					
Saskatchewan.....		1	1	1										
Alberta.....							1	2						
British Columbia.....						1					1	1		
Totals.....	6	8	4	7	5	19	6	14	8	14	11	5	7	

¹ Individual as well as commercial failures are included in Table 5, while commercial failures only are shown in Table 6.

7. FARM PRODUCTS

Month	Wheat							Oats
	Receipts Country Elevators	Visible Supply	Mill Grindings	Railway Freight Loaded	Exports		Overseas Clear- ances	Receipts Country Elevators
	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	Tons	000 Bus.	\$000	000 Bus.	000 Bus.
1945								
Jan.....	25,191	369,812	9,177	959,159	5,163	6,606	14,730	20,411
Feb.....	12,775	359,649	8,396	604,500	7,356	9,265	10,853	13,455
Mar.....	13,678	347,042	9,602	805,884	10,094	12,971	13,890	11,704
April.....	17,334	327,953	9,382	1,167,737	15,452	20,591	22,703	15,575
May.....	13,126	282,579	9,319	1,911,806	29,125	40,303	39,351	10,480
June.....	19,693	254,376	9,435	2,355,553	43,295	61,347	34,366	12,823
July.....	29,730	225,095	8,093	2,297,491	38,194	54,844	38,322	10,111
Aug.....	10,040	193,937	8,970	2,089,060	43,295	60,821	34,227	7,519
Sept.....	41,962	201,241	9,105	1,746,118	30,134	43,572	22,454	13,136
Oct.....	66,875	222,958	9,926	1,882,628	31,350	48,138	40,764	12,901
Nov.....	36,712	204,786	10,214	1,667,283	38,316	58,530	30,424	7,907
Dec.....	13,240	187,095	9,658	1,131,048	38,099	58,798	17,755	8,891
1946								
Jan.....	14,820	163,684	9,965	908,314	15,248	23,655	22,443	16,874
Feb.....	4,633	136,483	9,519	631,213	9,848	15,390	18,512	5,216
Mar.....	6,036	106,202	10,662	788,501	15,385	24,078	21,054	6,574
April.....	9,487	81,562	9,839	920,203	13,444	21,236	16,612	5,277
May.....	11,697	63,853	10,400	784,206	15,497	24,271	16,524	8,904
June.....	10,103	47,009	9,726	.....	9,947	15,620	16,546	6,278
July.....	10,960	39,621	9,626	.....	13,634	21,124	6,969	7,262

Month	Oats				Barley			
	Visible Supply	Mill Grindings	Railway Loadings	Exports		Receipts Country Elevators	Visible Supply	Mill Grindings
	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	Tons	000 Bus.	\$000	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	000 Bus.
1945								
Jan.....	40,437	2,242	269,111	2,256	1,806	5,785	37,940	753-1
Feb.....	40,622	2,043	363,563	3,747	2,492	2,602	35,878	661-8
Mar.....	42,258	2,141	306,147	3,838	2,544	2,010	32,651	638-4
April.....	41,914	2,070	333,463	10,071	6,895	1,946	25,462	642-3
May.....	36,921	1,897	401,057	8,211	5,534	1,538	18,232	592-5
June.....	39,423	1,894	266,676	7,889	5,085	2,570	13,694	541-4
July.....	31,502	1,697	279,946	9,261	6,070	2,944	10,819	420-3
Aug.....	30,530	1,790	192,719	6,636	4,346	6,057	12,730	463-6
Sept.....	36,527	1,907	257,781	3,640	2,361	11,369	20,640	496-8
Oct.....	39,140	2,226	313,822	4,699	3,134	21,788	37,714	743-7
Nov.....	33,740	2,051	264,930	6,047	4,051	9,847	37,537	766-0
Dec.....	34,347	1,713	184,153	4,822	3,341	3,126	35,610	728-2
1946								
Jan.....	42,647	2,213	298,506	1,584	1,211	2,508	32,914	729-4
Feb.....	39,799	2,244	204,274	1,182	864	928	29,832	597-8
Mar.....	37,746	2,372	232,557	1,296	1,133	1,365	26,150	693-0
April.....	34,996	2,412	235,189	636	553	1,703	22,547	689-0
May.....	28,848	2,699	234,835	2,054	1,616	2,819	19,145	778-9
June.....	24,522	2,206	.....	3,860	3,238	2,222	16,650	686-3
July.....	23,436	2,127	.....	4,079	3,027	3,146	14,350	673-4

7. FARM PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Barley			Rye					
	Railway Loadings	Exports		Receipts Country Elevators	Visible Supply	Railway Loadings	Exports		Price
	Tons	000 Bus.	\$000	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	Tons	Bus.	\$	Cents per Bus.
1945									
Jan.....	311,948	482	551	213	2,968	10,175	2,672	11,886	116/3
Feb.....	206,698	272	298	306	3,078	10,486	1,462	1,939	125/3
Mar.....	140,669	234	275	313	3,282	11,090	40,100	53,543	131/2
April.....	109,053	4,682	5,652	293	3,027	21,265	306,742	344,813	144/2
May.....	126,077	3,281	3,863	154	2,409	36,475	179,964	235,718	154/7
June.....	121,036	5,474	5,338	128	1,782	4,221	1,040,566	1,580,516	157/6
July.....	109,517	2,020	2,084	101	1,706	5,836	239,682	402,013	161/5
Aug.....	92,088	1,813	1,918	547	1,559	4,669	553,006	849,293	153/6
Sept.....	274,149	1,409	1,697	606	1,559	18,934	287,746	466,476	168/1
Oct.....	417,181	1,412	1,641	884	2,440	19,185	295,388	471,199	172
Nov.....	352,333	732	715	414	1,860	21,759	749,748	1,328,232	187
Dec.....	196,932	57	68	73	1,460	8,365	622,291	1,132,951	182/6
1946									
Jan.....	159,846	8	13	88	1,458	4,179	130,000	252,200	205/7
Feb.....	79,250	26	47	56	1,240	7,944	20,000	38,800	252/1
Mar.....	92,376	8	14	35	1,173	6,822	30	60	243/5
April.....	119,241	4	6	48	818	11,575	125,423	298,180	264/5
May.....	134,654			59	666	7,973	19,089	39,476	274
June.....				33	351		110,031	281,218	290/7
July.....		8	15	185	374		125,184	351,982	292/4

Month	Flax					Corn		
	Receipts Country Elevators	Visible Supply	Railway Loadings Flax-seed	Exports		Mill Grindings	Railway Loadings	Mill Production Corn-flour, Meal
	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	Tons	Cwt.	\$	000 Bus.	Tons	000 Lbs.
1945								
Jan.....	137	5,192	22,643	1,898	38,884	246-4	21,027	2,235
Feb.....	50	4,425	13,698	2,713	37,991	131-2	21,251	1,206
Mar.....	65	4,107	17,333	12,907	332,111	187-0	26,834	1,950
April.....	100	3,009	19,855	5,483	122,973	187-2	18,951	2,128
May.....	61	2,563	12,658	5,801	109,028	174-4	26,511	2,725
June.....	148	2,332	9,355	11,452	226,867	176-2	14,047	1,913
July.....	165	2,158	15,744	5,157	118,524	194-8	9,640	1,915
Aug.....	118	1,909	13,699	1,798	34,479	223-0	10,419	2,477
Sept.....	386	1,864	8,285	2,182	102,029	180-4	5,204	1,899
Oct.....	3,048	4,721	46,241	7,017	128,083	124-9	3,091	2,072
Nov.....	677	4,192	51,173	2,647	47,500	87-4	13,867	1,403
Dec.....	176	4,014	21,183	3,306	72,326	177-6	19,865	2,037
1946								
Jan.....	137	3,387	20,271	4,406	115,881	191-0	24,364	1,629
Feb.....	39	2,997	13,309	7,507	182,253	205-9	27,933	1,846
Mar.....	53	2,577	16,743	7,484	165,584	214-0	16,491	1,846
April.....	40	2,128	14,794	12,416	356,647	195-8	18,711	1,265
May.....	38	1,767	10,117	8,315	216,459	156-9	9,715	1,723
June.....	41	1,348		4,105	64,550	122-5		1,275
July.....	19	1,002		6,534	176,489	140-2		971

7. FARM PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Cattle					Cattle and Calves, Railway Loadings	Calves	
	Stock-yard Sales	Inspected Slaughtering	Exports Except for Stock		Prices Steers, Good, up to 1,050 lbs.		Stock-yard Sales	Inspected Slaughtering
			No.	\$000					$ per cwt.
1945	No.	No.	No.	\$000	\$ per cwt.	Tons	No.	No.
Jan.	106,944	159,342	1,948	258	11.37	56,884	23,218	33,777
Feb.	80,764	128,107	2,013	276	11.13	45,596	19,803	34,177
Mar.	78,672	126,234	3,031	388	11.54	49,667	33,762	71,903
April	73,126	114,590	4,762	602	11.90	45,634	50,128	107,311
May	77,683	107,825	7,059	877	12.31	44,330	55,862	102,719
June	65,896	98,318	6,757	858	12.57	41,113	45,982	81,560
July	95,090	107,093	6,760	844	12.12	52,419	48,002	74,742
Aug.	107,423	143,999	5,453	624	11.70	68,467	35,624	61,218
Sept.	124,012	180,774	5,253	692	11.03	85,484	38,199	59,825
Oct.	175,478	224,173	4,012	529	10.56	104,030	48,554	60,236
Nov.	171,396	250,378	4,313	576	10.70	116,383	44,844	59,904
Dec.	121,626	179,294	4,075	572	11.60	69,096	24,792	31,445
1946								
Jan.	100,295	159,635	3,534	479	11.88	53,996	17,595	29,590
Feb.	81,545	121,104	4,241	609	12.10	43,988	18,515	31,419
Mar.	70,149	114,982	4,631	642	12.12	42,775	33,177	68,556
April	65,643	87,748	5,621	776	12.28	39,585	56,177	109,636
May	53,830	76,851	8,800	1,222	12.60	37,626	46,927	95,216
June	71,551	103,666	8,597	1,220	13.89		38,808	69,974
July	97,785	123,771		1,323			43,310	73,831

Month	Sheep and Lambs		Inspected Slaughtering		Hogs			
	Stock-yard Sales	Railway Loadings			Stock-yard Sales	Inspected Slaughtering	Railway Loadings	Price "B" 1 Dressed Toronto
			Sheep	Lambs				
1945	No.	Tons	No.	No.	No.	No.	Tons	\$ per cwt.
Jan.	28,217	3,124	12,930	61,043	108,549	756,446	45,646	17.63
Feb.	14,110	3,775	10,288	46,467	84,064	562,718	36,521	17.46
Mar.	10,203	2,661	3,080	42,078	86,176	601,317	38,338	17.80
April	6,295	2,646	22,546	1,818	76,892	539,865	32,029	17.47
May	9,061	1,042	17,262	1,374	86,645	494,450	29,225	17.62
June	21,509	1,544	24,411	19,834	72,267	377,921	24,620	18.50
July	38,551	1,724	20,424	45,010	79,262	310,277	20,897	19.21
Aug.	56,247	3,866	18,025	112,195	67,466	299,713	20,913	18.70
Sept.	70,579	5,557	22,765	136,760	60,266	299,181	17,769	17.93
Oct.	127,793	13,470	40,441	213,001	93,164	454,638	22,939	17.32
Nov.	99,563	11,125	51,306	161,760	96,058	527,803	27,855	17.37
Dec.	43,402	3,310	27,703	56,603	85,926	459,398	27,598	17.80
1946								
Jan.	27,945	3,119	18,310	69,315	83,222	477,592	28,977	18.80
Feb.	14,601	2,776	7,799	54,055	72,799	373,681	22,938	18.67
Mar.	10,661	3,037	5,064	66,305	71,471	419,451	24,612	17.73
April	10,656	1,777	43,119	1,055	76,100	416,102	22,602	19.35
May	9,045		22,090	1,229	63,211	389,377		19.86
June	17,304		21,143	16,067	55,522	280,132		20.82
July	39,324		25,047	56,161	57,110	256,802		20.90

7. FARM PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Live Stock		Meats	Meats and Poultry			Poultry	Lard
	Market-ings	Whole-sale Prices	Exports	(Fresh)	(Cured, Salted)	Whole-sale Prices	Cold Storage Holdings	
				Railway Loadings				
1945	1935-39 = 100	1926=100	\$000	Tons	Tons	1926=100	000 lbs.	000 lbs.
Jan.....	155.8	145.2	15,875	33,982	32,468	114.8	24,374	4,961
Feb.....	141.4	144.9	11,351	31,336	20,734	114.9	20,885	4,342
Mar.....	131.6	147.8	21,761	33,496	28,408	114.9	16,050	3,754
Apr.....	106.8	150.6	14,584	24,322	24,783	114.9	10,984	3,168
May.....	119.8	155.5	16,133	19,632	22,082	115.4	8,058	2,834
June.....	115.6	159.6	13,009	15,175	26,767	115.9	5,873	2,624
July.....	144.4	155.3	11,298	17,921	14,406	116.1	5,244	1,841
Aug.....	128.6	148.3	8,114	16,842	13,098	115.4	6,021	1,704
Sept.....	119.0	142.1	7,425	21,141	8,033	114.8	5,635	941
Oct.....	136.6	137.8	9,948	35,782	16,763	114.7	6,437	807
Nov.....	166.9	138.5	17,706	36,344	22,840	114.7	9,869	774
Dec.....	176.1	148.8	19,771	39,505	20,931	115.2	15,446	814
1946								
Jan.....	140.9	151.9	14,302	34,949	17,781	115.3	16,182	954
Feb.....	139.2	153.7	14,132	24,750	16,536	115.3	12,252	897
Mar.....	117.0	153.1	12,598	22,162	14,815	115.3	9,520	1,507
April.....	101.4	156.3	9,333	17,063	17,774	120.6	6,409	1,407
May.....	86.0	160.5	11,498	.....	.....	120.6	4,433	1,419
June.....	115.4	171.7	7,673	.....	.....	124.5	3,386	1,282
July.....	138.7	.....	7,220	.....	.....	.....	4,570	1,017

Cold Storage Holdings of Meats—Thousand Pounds

Month	Pork						
	Beef	Veal	Mutton and Lamb	Pork			
				Total	Fresh, not Frozen	Fresh, Frozen	Cured or in cure
1945							
Jan.....	31,831	5,155	6,930	48,852	8,005	9,018	31,829
Feb.....	35,154	3,611	5,996	49,633	7,001	16,176	26,156
Mar.....	29,805	2,493	4,403	51,617	5,943	24,479	21,195
April.....	29,665	2,067	3,213	63,331	5,784	32,669	24,877
May.....	21,684	4,432	1,956	64,283	5,438	35,929	22,916
June.....	16,052	4,929	921	57,635	5,145	24,811	27,679
July.....	13,317	5,194	835	38,554	4,466	14,428	19,660
Aug.....	14,222	5,666	1,162	28,885	3,656	8,594	16,646
Sept.....	19,504	5,735	2,296	24,494	4,235	5,475	14,784
Oct.....	33,935	6,855	4,329	24,993	4,462	4,392	16,140
Nov.....	35,957	6,917	6,291	28,027	5,661	4,037	18,329
Dec.....	42,278	7,192	7,815	30,236	5,711	5,249	19,276
1946							
Jan.....	40,515	5,282	7,775	32,755	4,794	10,805	17,156
Feb.....	30,699	3,113	5,730	36,783	3,767	18,169	14,847
Mar.....	23,801	1,812	3,832	40,719	4,347	20,882	15,490
April.....	21,435	2,080	3,345	50,731	4,773	27,880	17,285
May.....	14,762	3,341	2,040	57,584	5,525	35,379	16,680
June.....	12,044	3,481	1,040	56,750	4,591	36,294	15,865
July.....	15,596	3,505	831	53,473	3,517	35,204	14,752

7. FARM PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Butter						Cheese	
	Creamery		Dairy Storage Holdings	Exports		Prices, Cream- ery, Firsts, Montreal	Produc- tion (Factory)	Storage Holdings (Not Process or Cottage)
	Produc- tion	Storage Holdings						
	000 lbs.	000 lbs.	000 lbs.	Cwt.	\$000	\$ per pound	000 lbs.	000 lbs.
1945								
Jan.	11,421	40,190	129	2,164	84	-369	2,557	39,257
Feb.	10,601	30,311	107	4,308	159	-369	2,071	29,809
Mar.	14,525	20,223	52	5,442	219	-369	3,532	23,697
April.	20,833	12,879	25	5,463	206	-368	9,283	20,247
May	32,265	12,127	70	4,338	170	-362	22,229	25,866
June	43,910	19,128	50	5,161	205	-360	32,028	41,327
July	42,528	38,651	71	2,657	126	-364	30,451	64,604
Aug.	38,166	55,636	109	4,227	174	-367	27,700	66,399
Sept.	30,379	66,799	66	3,665	154	-366	23,950	64,357
Oct.	24,025	70,735	57	8,371	323	-374	17,621	62,827
Nov.	14,354	64,659	43	4,414	192	-380	6,860	54,938
Dec.	10,566	50,832	15	5,773	224	-380	2,956	43,166
1946								
Jan.	9,640	35,694	64	2,939	127	-380	1,845	26,492
Feb.	8,632	22,362	21	2,576	108	-380	1,294	24,118
Mar.	11,813	9,782	19	3,640	146	-380	2,513	19,859
April.	19,590	5,190	22	1,865	76	-420	6,830	17,970
May	31,490	6,236	28	2,129	90	-415	15,818	21,131
June	42,379	17,453	32	2,052	92	-403	28,086	31,602
July	40,837	38,378	30	.....	148	-417	25,518	50,865

Month	Cheese Exports	Butter and Cheese, Railway Loadings	Milk				Eggs	
			Con- densed	Evap- orated	Concen- trated Whole Milk, Storage Holdings	Milk and its Products, Wholesale Price	Exports	Railway Loadings
	\$000	Tons	000 pounds	000 pounds	000 lbs.	1926=100	\$000	Tons
1945								
Jan.	1,107	7,689	1,680	9,568	33,152	99-1	2,270	6,024
Feb.	799	6,420	1,978	7,359	22,838	99-1	1,938	6,984
Mar.	1,692	6,059	2,214	13,407	18,270	99-1	6,281	12,688
April.	506	4,116	2,827	17,066	20,031	99-0	7,249	12,748
May	359	5,366	3,391	25,128	22,580	98-5	5,281	9,547
June	64	8,478	2,445	29,157	34,821	98-1	2,164	7,075
July	1,919	16,874	1,748	25,526	40,754	98-4	3,092	5,151
Aug.	5,390	14,553	2,854	21,245	44,852	98-7	2,892	4,423
Sept.	5,437	10,516	3,089	18,059	47,662	98-7	1,806	6,038
Oct.	5,554	11,714	2,153	14,095	39,513	99-3	4,494	7,511
Nov.	2,148	8,220	2,193	8,993	33,175	100-9	4,690	3,669
Dec.	2,710	14,206	1,471	9,629	24,267	101-0	1,964	2,043
1946								
Jan.	1,919	3,678	1,263	8,488	22,752	101-0	2,757	4,902
Feb.	1,152	3,002	1,117	7,786	14,355	101-3	2,000	5,937
Mar.	64	2,036	2,035	13,980	9,031	101-4	4,358	6,240
April.	80	2,321	3,357	18,613	13,071	105-4	2,088	6,196
May	89	.....	2,936	23,838	16,651	105-0	2,837	5,972
June	85	.....	3,745	29,050	19,734	104-0	858	.....
July	53	.....	2,571	24,633	30,743	105-1	2,184	.....

7. FARM PRODUCTS—Concluded

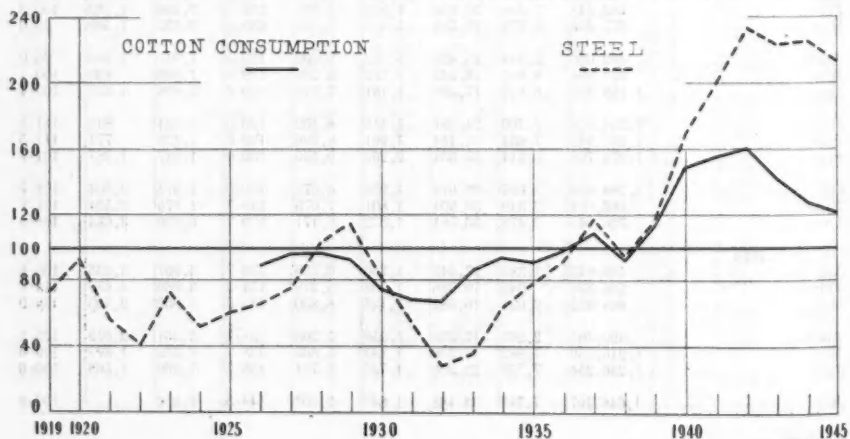
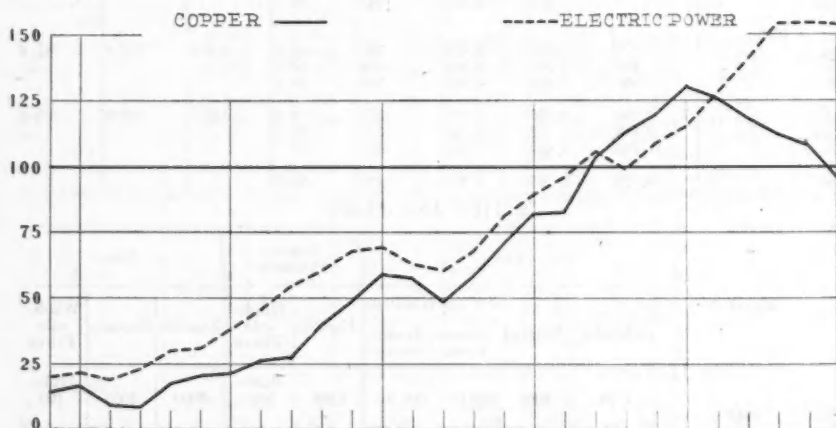
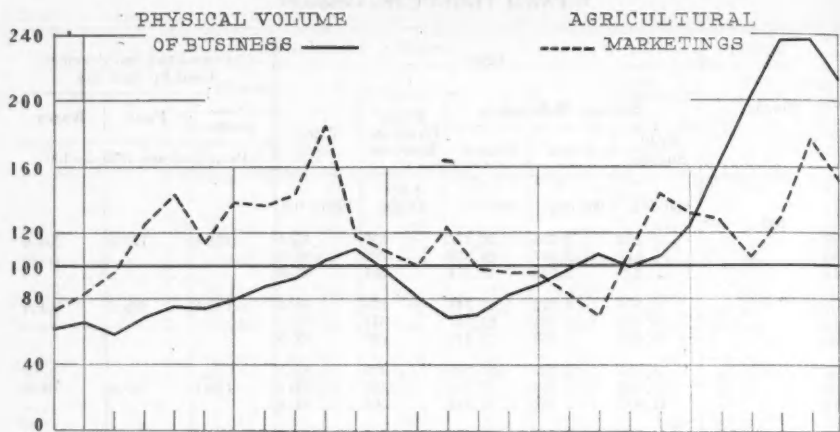
Month	Eggs					Commodities and Services Used by Farmers		
	Storage Holdings			Price, Grade A, Montreal	Price	Com- posite	Feed	Wages
	Cold Storage	Fresh	Frozen					
						Price Indexes 1935-9=100		
	000 doz.	000 doz.	000 lbs.	\$ per Dozen	1926=100			
1945								
Jan.....	254	2,568	30,176	-397	80.4	122.8	128.5	234.6
Feb.....	511	2,847	24,339	-390	81.1			
Mar.....	279	2,646	17,974	-384	82.6			
April.....	1,576	4,342	11,748	-376	81.4	123.0	129.2	281.4
May.....	8,446	5,754	11,637	-371	81.3			
June.....	14,654	3,582	18,117	-388	82.9			
July.....	18,611	3,129	25,784	-439	88.1			
Aug.....	18,454	2,263	29,861	-499	97.3	123.7	129.6	301.0
Sept.....	17,337	2,652	28,943	-503	94.6			
Oct.....	11,733	2,043	27,076	-505	109.8			
Nov.....	4,875	620	22,043	-505	113.8			
Dec.....	1	538	14,288	-442	92.3			
1946								
Jan.....	71	1,876	8,679	-383	82.4	124.6	129.6	247.4
Feb.....	838	2,240	5,386	-384	84.0			
Mar.....	497	1,950	4,501	-393	86.1			
April.....	2,088	3,195	3,840	-378	84.6	126.1	130.0	299.1
May.....	7,668	3,132	4,842	-394	86.0			
June.....	11,248	2,857	7,296	-406	87.2			
July.....	14,025	2,165	9,383	-492	99.9			

8. FISH AND FURS

Month	Fish				Fishery Products		Furs		
	Caught	Landed	Storage Holdings		Exports	Whole- sale Prices	Exports	Imports	Whole- sale Prices
			Frozen Fresh	Frozen Smoked					
	Cwt.	\$000	000 lbs.	000 lbs.	\$000	1926= 100	\$000	\$000	1926= 100
1945									
Jan.....	855,102	1,450	27,944	2,023	4,361	128.2	3,900	2,073	101.6
Feb.....	682,648	1,218	20,950	1,505	4,405	130.1	2,664	1,942	100.9
Mar.....	277,486	1,579	19,588	1,354	5,447	130.1	2,527	1,569	96.0
April.....	402,050	2,344	15,428	1,292	6,000	130.1	1,945	1,640	96.0
May.....	923,994	6,024	14,563	1,177	6,288	129.8	1,888	898	100.1
June.....	1,159,553	6,835	17,489	1,181	7,270	130.4	2,426	1,133	100.1
July.....	1,334,805	7,260	24,387	1,416	8,452	130.0	2,634	840	111.5
Aug.....	1,601,948	7,631	31,454	1,961	8,926	130.0	1,120	771	111.5
Sept.....	1,274,798	5,314	35,334	2,255	9,150	130.0	1,087	1,387	101.7
Oct.....	1,294,920	3,695	38,079	1,956	6,073	130.0	1,374	2,304	101.7
Nov.....	966,904	2,349	38,901	1,801	7,675	130.7	1,675	3,594	101.7
Dec.....	726,945	2,478	33,791	1,572	6,171	130.7	6,330	3,054	106.5
1946									
Jan.....	549,843	1,381	27,443	1,766	6,729	130.7	5,997	3,635	106.5
Feb.....	286,330	945	19,386	1,358	5,218	134.5	3,866	3,689	114.1
Mar.....	448,822	2,021	16,882	1,125	6,830	132.5	3,056	2,503	108.0
April.....	320,301	2,203	17,530	1,250	5,205	138.7	3,551	2,015	105.1
May.....	1,216,259	7,882	15,536	1,441	5,865	138.7	4,265	1,879	109.6
June.....	1,256,254	7,750	22,308	1,735	8,761	138.7	1,960	1,568	109.6
July.....	1,046,197	7,742	32,188	1,849	9,307	144.5	1,512		107.0

② PRODUCTION

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9. METALS AND MINERALS

Month	Copper		Nickel		Lead		Zinc		Aluminum
	Production	Exports	Production	Exports	Production	Exports	Production	Exports	
1945	Pounds	\$000	Pounds	\$000	Pounds	\$000	Pounds	\$000	\$000
Jan.....	44,381,428	3,576	23,770,268	4,911	25,623,743	328	49,506,177	1,080	14,402
Feb.....	39,903,080	3,430	20,724,884	5,877	24,578,012	130	44,520,588	973	16,143
Mar.....	45,931,335	3,340	23,514,627	6,636	35,169,939	359	47,697,136	2,644	16,620
April.....	42,954,116	3,147	21,661,372	5,424	28,172,344	557	43,385,577	1,736	13,055
May.....	41,165,776	2,637	23,484,009	4,790	25,555,454	416	45,427,551	1,440	10,914
June.....	44,379,551	2,493	22,644,417	3,859	25,175,850	1,001	43,469,170	1,621	7,811
July.....	42,389,648	1,287	23,893,945	4,451	25,505,404	1,660	45,197,460	1,600	8,791
Aug.....	39,480,312	1,960	21,991,592	4,538	28,127,996	1,104	41,520,857	1,887	8,319
Sept.....	35,023,084	2,534	16,506,248	3,336	29,175,590	340	38,459,108	1,145	11,155
Oct.....	35,171,852	4,794	17,244,911	3,571	32,609,258	297	38,859,858	1,388	16,829
Nov.....	32,239,787	5,867	15,483,999	4,028	35,000,437	2,388	40,609,351	1,674	7,313
Dec.....	34,930,910	5,794	15,276,195	3,357	34,475,531	596	40,213,452	3,183	2,202
1946									
Jan.....	32,021,065	3,675	13,823,097	2,996	34,169,146	980	41,734,017	2,482	1,685
Feb.....	27,698,802	2,307	12,450,169	2,346	30,477,148	893	39,784,315	2,358	774
Mar.....	32,343,606	3,506	15,677,068	4,484	31,287,569	2,173	42,957,226	2,567	1,593
April.....	31,886,954	2,851	18,479,628	8,413	30,864,007	1,949	41,594,847	2,507	2,679
May.....	30,993,228	3,793	14,733,775	4,219	30,050,050	1,066	40,904,913	2,435	6,359
June.....	30,885,633	1,600	15,188,844	3,874	30,927,636	1,303	39,261,780	1,548	5,440
July.....		2,507		4,247		1,633		2,446	1,303

Month	Gold			Silver			Petroleum		
	Pro- duction	Receipts at Mint	Non- mon- etary Gold Net Exports	Pro- duction	Receipts at Mint	Exports in Ore and Bullion	Pro- ducers Ship- ments	Rail- way Load- ings	Crude Im- ported
1945	Fine Ounces	Fine Ounces	\$000	Fine Ounces	Fine Ounces	Fine Ounces	000 barrels	Tons	000 bbls.
Jan.....	233,210	232,647	8,700	1,019,590	32,579	313,591	881.8	33,734	109,757
Feb.....	212,351	208,270	8,400	952,225	30,419	496,523	778.8	24,841	102,890
Mar.....	228,687	211,957	10,200	1,199,546	29,361	468,710	779.5	19,289	113,038
April.....	223,737	208,217	6,800	1,054,327	30,350	449,966	692.9	26,482	165,366
May.....	217,556	221,991	10,200	1,198,327	31,388	654,263	715.8	25,186	163,156
June.....	212,163	191,252	4,700	1,099,541	28,347	508,391	672.9	19,994	200,464
July.....	210,209	193,834	8,000	951,348	27,813	535,962	696.7	24,362	213,533
Aug.....	211,754	209,014	8,500	1,055,488	30,203	371,478	685.0	24,527	200,020
Sept.....	211,529	192,735	6,800	962,889	27,287	298,491	657.2	19,560	196,360
Oct.....	229,550	223,334	7,700	1,036,259	31,041	220,313	682.8	13,146	219,840
Nov.....	220,755	204,975	9,800	1,096,306	27,944	305,481	658.7	12,213	163,331
Dec.....	239,749	194,941	6,200	1,153,013	28,375	332,934	666.9	13,611	140,188
1946									
Jan.....	238,450	248,308	9,300	1,204,506	36,388	271,577	680.3	13,478	135,025
Feb.....	229,099	228,564	9,500	1,041,585	35,198	255,863	610.3	12,813	106,646
Mar.....	247,918	232,876	10,000	1,165,684	34,650	111,285	663.5	10,764	116,613
April.....	238,216	246,832	7,200	1,055,917	33,601	21,948	644.4	15,613	181,632
May.....	240,339	223,035	10,000	1,037,921	30,020	182,705	649.9	31,197	207,612
June.....	234,383	225,161	7,700	1,174,600	30,283	34,368	621.9		203,384
July.....		208,069	6,600		28,780	438,568			207,807

9. METALS AND MINERALS—*Concluded*

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10. ELECTRIC POWER IN THOUSAND KILOWATT HOURS¹

Month	Production						
	Hydraulic	Thermal	Total	Daily Average		Primary	Secondary
				Amount	1935-9=100		
1945							
Jan.....	3,333,376	89,307	3,422,683	110,409	151.6	2,913,981	508,702
Feb.....	3,044,927	79,308	3,124,235	111,580	150.1	2,645,482	478,753
Mar.....	3,504,688	81,827	3,586,515	115,694	154.2	2,946,448	640,063
April.....	3,459,288	74,809	3,534,157	117,805	165.5	2,883,337	650,820
May.....	3,522,151	70,923	3,593,074	115,906	165.4	2,941,869	651,205
June.....	3,345,735	65,938	3,411,673	113,572	164.1	2,793,414	618,756
July.....	3,217,398	67,552	3,284,950	105,843	161.3	2,718,169	566,781
Aug.....	3,168,366	69,247	3,237,613	104,439	154.6	2,723,802	513,811
Sept.....	3,001,877	77,433	3,079,310	102,644	146.3	2,601,286	478,024
Oct.....	3,220,107	88,914	3,309,021	106,743	144.8	2,762,459	546,562
Nov.....	3,145,837	91,149	3,236,986	107,900	139.7	2,654,017	582,969
Dec.....	3,197,817	90,893	3,288,710	106,087	141.8	2,744,538	544,172
1946							
Jan.....	3,337,395	91,378	3,428,773	110,606	151.8	2,824,698	604,075
Feb.....	3,103,061	79,950	3,183,011	113,679	152.9	2,594,679	588,332
March.....	3,458,571	78,533	3,537,104	114,100	155.6	2,861,744	675,360
April.....	3,438,100	67,553	3,505,654	116,875	164.2	2,827,397	678,257
May.....	3,548,487	67,290	3,615,777	116,638	166.5	2,906,829	708,948
June.....	3,348,960	66,446	3,415,306	113,844	164.5	2,770,110	645,196
July.....							

Month	Exports and Consumption							
	Exports to United States			Consumption				
	Total	Primary	Secondary	Total	Primary	Secondary	Primary Power	
							Daily Average	1935-9=100
1945								
Jan.....	164,470	116,848	47,622	3,258,213	2,797,133	461,080	90,230	185.5
Feb.....	152,659	110,647	42,012	2,971,576	2,534,835	436,741	90,530	186.1
Mar.....	215,791	118,942	96,849	3,370,720	2,827,506	543,214	91,210	190.7
Apr.....	225,554	117,761	107,793	3,308,603	2,765,576	543,027	92,186	195.5
May.....	248,421	122,850	125,571	3,344,653	2,819,019	525,634	90,936	194.8
June.....	253,872	118,668	135,204	3,153,298	2,674,746	478,552	89,158	190.7
July.....	263,776	122,793	140,983	3,021,174	2,595,376	425,798	83,599	186.0
Aug.....	229,746	123,850	105,896	3,007,867	2,599,952	407,915	83,869	181.3
Sept.....	215,831	120,030	95,801	2,863,479	2,481,256	382,223	82,709	172.1
Oct.....	224,801	117,507	107,294	3,084,220	2,644,952	439,268	85,321	171.1
Nov.....	218,587	108,535	110,052	3,018,399	2,545,482	472,917	84,812	167.4
Dec.....	217,737	112,674	105,063	3,070,973	2,631,864	439,109	84,899	172.5
1946								
Jan.....	198,522	115,299	83,223	3,230,251	2,709,399	520,852	87,400	179.7
Feb.....	178,661	106,200	72,461	3,004,350	2,488,479	515,871	88,874	182.7
Mar.....	219,274	113,340	105,934	3,317,830	2,748,404	569,426	88,658	185.4
Apr.....	236,170	118,938	117,232	3,269,484	2,708,459	561,025	90,302	191.5
May.....	237,035	121,834	115,201	3,378,742	2,784,995	593,747	89,839	192.5
June.....	229,685	116,350	113,335	3,185,621	2,663,760	531,861	88,459	189.2
July.....								

¹Includes the output of Central Electric Stations only.

10. ELECTRIC POWER IN THOUSAND KILOWATT HOURS—*Concluded*

Month	Total Consumption after Deducting Inter-Provincial Transfers								
	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
1945									
Jan.....	1,285	53,124	49,301	1,456,542	1,157,801	177,069	63,019	55,252	244,820
Feb.....	1,134	46,820	36,918	1,359,422	1,041,627	160,590	56,581	45,795	222,689
Mar.....	958	49,800	43,863	1,608,756	1,158,912	168,483	55,263	48,672	236,017
April.....	1,001	45,873	41,891	1,612,851	1,121,814	161,377	51,992	46,098	225,706
May.....	928	47,276	46,643	1,641,124	1,125,824	158,056	54,489	46,740	223,573
June.....	919	46,998	47,212	1,534,459	1,078,916	130,985	53,074	44,043	221,195
July.....	850	48,435	46,416	1,453,325	1,025,556	121,451	51,378	46,304	227,459
Aug.....	864	48,190	42,661	1,436,724	1,023,238	125,270	52,578	47,712	230,630
Sept.....	893	43,732	44,919	1,300,136	1,004,886	144,838	52,434	48,100	223,541
Oct.....	939	46,836	52,129	1,376,616	1,104,746	158,643	54,616	50,550	239,145
Nov.....	1,124	49,346	52,274	1,290,776	1,100,807	169,184	58,900	52,980	243,008
Dec.....	1,115	50,242	44,004	1,314,120	1,117,055	175,020	62,423	56,201	250,793
1946									
Jan.....	1,125	54,765	42,574	1,428,434	1,170,742	176,288	63,923	56,183	236,217
Feb.....	1,105	49,425	35,445	1,374,524	1,061,898	159,997	57,715	49,894	214,347
Mar.....	976	50,595	43,275	1,567,490	1,122,490	176,311	61,585	51,428	243,680
April.....	1,027	48,935	47,673	1,549,281	1,114,577	166,726	57,544	47,979	235,742
May.....	951	52,150	45,980	1,628,590	1,147,386	165,555	58,314	48,787	231,029
June.....	936	47,680	47,746	1,539,659	1,087,306	136,870	55,084	45,943	224,397
July.....									

Month	Daily Average Consumption of Primary Power								
	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
1945									
Jan.....	41	1,714	1,542	37,073	34,406	3,748	2,034	1,782	7,890
Feb.....	40	1,672	1,318	37,517	34,699	3,681	2,021	1,636	7,946
Mar.....	31	1,607	1,372	39,371	34,285	3,585	1,783	1,570	7,006
April.....	33	1,529	1,361	40,988	33,900	3,586	1,733	1,537	7,519
May.....	30	1,525	1,456	40,769	33,065	3,618	1,758	1,508	7,207
June.....	31	1,567	1,516	38,970	33,234	3,386	1,769	1,468	7,367
July.....	28	1,562	1,449	36,242	30,815	3,144	1,657	1,494	7,331
Aug.....	28	1,554	1,367	36,264	30,745	3,243	1,696	1,539	7,433
Sept.....	30	1,458	1,480	34,035	31,317	3,593	1,748	1,603	7,445
Oct.....	30	1,511	1,652	34,629	32,710	3,689	1,762	1,631	7,707
Nov.....	37	1,645	1,706	32,269	33,500	3,897	1,963	1,766	8,096
Dec.....	36	1,621	1,415	32,942	33,073	3,903	2,014	1,813	8,082
1946									
Jan.....	36	1,767	1,374	34,193	34,572	3,971	2,062	1,812	7,613
Feb.....	39	1,765	1,266	35,845	34,566	3,902	2,061	1,782	7,648
Mar.....	32	1,632	1,330	37,669	32,671	3,824	1,987	1,659	7,854
April.....	34	1,631	1,526	38,264	33,692	3,766	1,918	1,600	7,851
May.....	31	1,682	1,460	38,547	33,399	3,818	1,881	1,574	7,446
Jan.....	31	1,589	1,571	37,968	32,876	3,581	1,836	1,532	7,475
July.....									

¹ Includes the output of Central Electric Stations only.

11. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Wheat Flour				Mill Production		Mill Grindings, Mixed Grain	Total Grain Exports
	Mill Production		Exports		Oatmeal	Rolled Oats		
	P.C. of Capacity	000 Barrels	000 Barrels	\$000	000 Pounds	000 Pounds	000 Bushels	\$000
1945								
Jan.....	90.3	2,068	840	5,643	1,171	20,834	2,499	9,472
Feb.....	89.5	1,892	1,032	6,799	1,745	16,996	2,227	12,598
Mar.....	93.9	2,161	1,238	8,188	1,640	19,328	2,336	16,378
April.....	96.1	2,126	1,368	9,225	1,824	16,331	2,258	33,651
May.....	94.0	2,108	1,402	9,584	1,005	15,319	2,007	50,046
June.....	92.5	2,134	1,613	11,593	1,218	14,395	1,686	73,457
July.....	82.2	1,822	1,148	8,434	1,074	11,811	1,625	63,452
Aug.....	87.8	2,021	1,106	8,173	1,406	11,699	2,034	67,975
Sept.....	96.4	2,046	954	7,140	1,937	13,433	2,092	48,123
Oct.....	95.0	2,227	1,064	8,021	241	15,765	2,505	53,407
Nov.....	97.5	2,285	1,000	7,651	2,962	13,126	2,682	64,716
Dec.....	96.4	2,169	965	7,404	1,714	9,152	2,709	63,724
1946								
Jan.....	95.6	2,240	1,139	8,842	1,710	17,496	2,498	25,385
Feb.....	99.6	2,146	1,129	8,801	1,513	18,916	2,292	16,594
Mar.....	102.4	2,393	1,042	8,252	2,062	18,431	2,275	25,405
April.....	98.6	2,217	1,478	11,936	2,312	19,703	2,317	22,440
May.....	100.5	2,344	1,668	13,655	2,172	24,400	1,978	26,047
June.....	97.2	2,184	1,060	8,792	1,649	18,158	1,475	19,220
July.....				9,646				24,606

Month	Tobacco Released from Bond						Tobacco Industry		
	Cigar- ettes	Cigars	Tobacco				First of Month		
			Cut	Plug	Snuff	Can- adian Raw Leaf	Employ- ment Unad- justed	Per Capita Weekly Earn- ings	Aggre- gate Weekly Payrolls
1945	000,000	000	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	1926=100	\$	\$
Jan.....	1,159.1	16,553	2,305,467	337,672	78,657	207,485	142.2	20.15	236,322
Feb.....	1,090.7	18,160	2,024,839	288,450	78,774	216,090	152.3	24.49	307,799
Mar.....	1,087.8	18,667	1,891,662	296,624	77,102	201,891	154.0	24.80	315,225
April.....	1,164.5	18,032	1,960,455	259,056	82,627	163,224	145.8	21.97	264,288
May.....	1,199.2	17,627	1,892,192	211,344	88,407	184,897	135.8	25.06	280,735
June.....	1,182.4	16,988	1,943,151	207,184	86,395	198,276	124.2	25.09	257,127
July.....	1,096.0	14,842	1,889,180	212,239	85,481	224,809	122.0	23.44	236,703
Aug.....	1,178.5	15,368	2,211,483	258,246	79,064	189,605	113.3	25.19	236,186
Sept.....	1,122.9	16,372	2,195,316	291,121	77,064	226,066	121.5	25.72	258,679
Oct.....	1,394.2	19,416	2,608,923	311,276	80,571	221,285	126.3	25.56	267,304
Nov.....	1,423.2	18,427	2,499,952	282,467	83,836	204,240	131.3	25.79	279,125
Dec.....	1,166.3	16,565	1,914,225	238,565	74,207	131,485	146.9	24.99	300,211
1946									
Jan.....	1,491.2	17,905	2,061,638	252,704	77,133	138,326	143.9	18.83	224,196
Feb.....	1,105.1	18,675	1,988,709	234,130	76,883	152,285	145.9	24.92	300,885
Mar.....	967.4	20,139	1,750,179	223,517	76,562	148,855	137.0	23.91	273,951
April.....	1,049.2	18,972	1,897,951	253,548	76,268	146,376	127.8	24.39	259,019
May.....	1,158.2	18,345	2,195,726	259,490	86,582	171,274	114.5	25.66	243,979
June.....	1,180.7	17,016	1,992,498	245,621	84,042	154,915	114.3	26.09	247,604
July.....	1,179.0	16,165	2,223,839	232,733	62,620	169,566			

11. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—*Concluded*

Four-Week Period	Raw Sugar—000 Pounds				Refined Sugar—000 Pounds				
	Stock on hand at begin- ning of Period	Receipts	Meltings and Sales	Stock on hand at end of Period	Stocks on hand at beginning of Period		Manufactured		Total Manu- factured
					Beet	Cane	Granu- lated	Yellow and Brown	
1945									
Jan. 6.....	98,402	59,026	61,256	96,172	146,467		59,398	8,357	67,755
Feb. 3.....	96,172	67,268	70,129	93,312	146,898		58,699	7,762	66,461
Mar. 3.....	93,312	76,599	73,410	96,501	153,484		63,540	7,409	70,949
Mar. 31.....	96,501	62,116	53,264	105,353	161,422		48,077	3,509	51,586
April 28.....	105,353	71,116	64,571	111,896	147,364		54,850	5,759	60,609
May 26.....	111,896	93,318	77,428	127,786	127,505		66,303	6,818	73,121
June 23.....	127,786	89,258	72,237	144,807	101,509		63,159	5,249	68,408
July 21.....	144,807	90,083	70,235	164,655	94,668		61,386	5,951	67,337
Aug. 18.....	164,655	69,925	62,161	172,419	78,696		54,281	5,788	60,069
Sept. 15.....	172,419	39,749	64,479	147,688	62,448		57,838	6,559	64,397
Oct. 13.....	147,688	26,843	66,059	108,473	49,334		103,930	7,900	111,830
Nov. 10.....	108,473	37,055	63,266	82,262	90,583		105,508	9,677	115,184
Dec. 8.....	82,262	64,392	56,321	90,333	144,815		84,809	7,608	92,417
1946									
Jan. 5.....	90,333	47,648	57,464	80,517	111,527	71,705	66,696	6,768	73,464
Feb. 2.....	80,517	44,283	63,199	61,601	114,102	86,822	53,633	6,822	60,455
Mar. 2.....	61,601	57,419	51,017	68,003	100,874	104,810	44,543	6,714	51,257
Mar. 30.....	68,003	44,526	26,541	85,989	88,790	120,451	22,252	3,154	25,406
April 27.....	85,989	84,455	50,773	119,670	75,684	97,587	41,382	5,499	46,854
May 25.....	119,670	38,660	65,539	92,792	63,687	89,158	53,631	7,074	60,705
June 22.....	92,792	85,121	62,802	115,048	53,704	90,358	53,211	6,791	60,002
July 20.....									
Refined Sugar—000 Pounds									
Four-Week Period	Total Domestic Sales		Sales Granulated		Sales Yellow and Brown	Total Sales		Stocks on Hand End of Period	
	Beet	Cane	Beet	Cane		Beet	Cane	Beet	Cane
1945									
Jan. 6.....		66,774		59,697	7,627		67,324		146,898
Feb. 3.....		58,753		52,885	6,995		59,880		153,484
Mar. 3.....		62,774		55,977	7,036		63,012		161,422
Mar. 31.....		65,502		59,149	6,499		65,648		147,364
April 28.....		69,086		73,670	6,803		80,472		127,505
May 26.....		78,610		92,162	6,957		99,118		101,509
June 23.....		74,925		69,758	5,494		75,252		94,668
July 21.....		78,190		77,748	5,567		83,316		78,696
Aug. 18.....		69,835		70,355	5,969		76,324		62,448
Sept. 15.....		76,806		69,576	7,937		77,513		49,334
Oct. 13.....		70,273		62,143	8,451		70,595		90,583
Nov. 10.....		60,587		52,450	8,505		60,955		84,815
Dec. 8.....		53,989		45,983	8,025		54,008	111,527	71,705
1946									
Jan. 5.....		55,730		49,902	6,371		55,773	114,102	86,822
Feb. 2.....		55,256		48,993	6,706		55,700	100,874	104,810
Mar. 2.....	12,084	35,485	12,084	30,449	5,175	12,084	35,625	88,790	120,451
Mar. 30.....	13,103	47,894	13,103	42,135	6,139	13,103	48,274	75,686	97,587
April 27.....	11,994	55,104	11,994	48,841	6,457	11,994	55,297	63,690	99,158
May 25.....	9,983	59,395	9,983	52,767	6,743	9,983	59,509	53,704	90,358
June 22.....	11,363	73,127	11,363	67,104	6,124	11,363	73,228	42,337	77,131
July 20.....									

11. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS

Month	Production of Boots and Shoes in Pairs							
	Leather of Fabric Uppers					Total Footwear		
	Welt's	McKays and all Imitation Welt's	Nailed Pegged Screw or Wire Fastened	Stitch Downs	Total	Men's	Women's	Total
1945								
Jan.....	466,169	764,726	212,525	214,491	2,410,060	748,684	1,300,590	2,878,444
Feb.....	513,836	799,213	184,883	267,485	2,564,809	779,316	1,416,211	3,075,890
Mar.....	519,230	888,647	188,354	302,625	2,823,084	832,818	1,582,282	3,392,589
April.....	493,475	852,631	186,777	278,859	2,691,507	801,371	1,497,361	3,275,381
May.....	507,462	839,081	174,461	277,342	2,705,514	846,459	1,532,413	3,335,490
June.....	478,781	870,962	167,117	290,890	2,687,026	802,565	1,517,989	3,286,998
July.....	338,854	641,763	147,552	207,123	1,983,397	732,302	1,206,716	2,701,007
Aug.....	402,707	798,333	162,540	258,564	2,408,500	841,263	1,426,917	3,246,398
Sept.....	379,194	836,260	162,114	237,406	2,343,401	806,330	1,373,409	3,126,099
Oct.....	455,735	936,109	205,164	279,005	2,760,684	949,963	1,683,741	3,746,710
Nov.....	460,163	946,506	195,277	268,459	2,732,784	945,371	1,621,840	3,655,440
Dec.....	385,685	843,800	161,026	173,933	2,308,515	801,815	1,434,202	3,060,809
1946								
Jan.....	476,016	976,027	197,650	273,069	2,783,150	891,606	1,530,465	3,400,437
Feb.....	496,892	1,009,451	202,158	266,564	2,817,992	899,745	1,559,372	3,496,811
Mar.....	523,556	1,126,037	227,634	359,567	3,213,581	986,308	1,892,582	4,019,660
April.....	488,347	1,053,020	223,891	335,161	3,120,286	952,234	1,824,811	3,878,052
May.....	528,862	1,143,379	218,734	338,200	3,282,456	1,021,189	1,901,385	4,103,104
June.....								

Month	Boots and Shoes						
	Production in Pairs			Employment and Payrolls			
	Boys' and Youths'	Misses' and Childrens'	Babies' and Infants'	Employment 1926=100	Per capita Weekly Earnings	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls	Prices 1926=100
1945					\$	\$	
Jan.....	189,455	411,311	228,404	125.2	20.96	361,838	108.9
Feb.....	208,921	441,627	219,815	128.0	23.30	411,252	108.9
Mar.....	217,436	511,727	248,326	128.3	23.78	420,751	108.9
April.....	199,031	528,033	249,585	128.9	23.06	409,890	108.9
May.....	201,401	500,717	254,500	129.2	23.78	423,751	108.9
June.....	201,724	526,813	237,907	128.2	23.80	420,656	108.9
July.....	172,363	369,493	220,133	129.2	22.95	408,942	108.9
Aug.....	206,044	499,663	272,511	129.2	23.25	414,268	108.9
Sept.....	202,334	469,077	274,949	131.0	23.62	426,748	108.9
Oct.....	216,267	546,471	350,268	132.0	23.93	435,682	108.9
Nov.....	236,772	509,006	342,451	134.8	24.23	450,201	108.9
Dec.....	195,221	383,220	246,351	136.3	24.42	459,132	108.9
1946							
Jan.....	212,669	468,601	292,096	133.2	21.77	399,866	108.9
Feb.....	246,585	504,997	287,112	137.4	24.17	458,498	110.2
Mar.....	261,215	550,661	328,894	139.3	24.48	468,164	110.2
April.....	252,353	537,951	310,703	142.1	24.85	486,686	110.2
May.....	250,718	598,492	331,320	143.1	24.11	478,560	110.2
June.....				143.7	23.75	471,256	110.2

11. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Months	Raw Cotton Opened				Cotton Imports				Cotton Exports
	By Reporting Firms		Total ¹		Total	Raw and Linters	Yarn	Fabrics	
	Number of Bales	000 pounds	Number of Bales	000 pounds					
1945					\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
Jan.....	26,173	13,127	30,832	15,454	7,454	3,330	538	3,071	765
Feb.....	27,043	13,545	31,857	15,955	6,970	3,011	313	3,097	1,308
Mar.....	29,982	14,988	35,319	17,656	10,281	4,271	859	4,417	1,452
April.....	26,497	13,224	31,213	15,578	7,205	3,070	650	2,861	1,249
May.....	27,135	13,534	31,935	15,944	6,203	2,279	566	2,841	385
June.....	25,680	12,799	30,251	15,078	5,940	2,376	704	2,357	858
July.....	21,070	10,504	24,820	12,374	6,356	2,544	676	2,637	704
Aug.....	25,298	12,595	29,801	14,838	6,359	3,351	585	1,979	588
Sept.....	24,743	12,340	29,147	14,537	6,565	3,380	527	2,284	468
Oct.....	29,137	14,538	34,323	17,126	8,864	3,795	597	3,709	742
Nov.....	27,083	13,526	31,904	15,934	8,008	3,836	344	3,108	868
Dec.....	24,287	12,149	28,610	14,311	9,200	4,961	850	2,582	754
1946									
Jan.....	28,224	14,106	33,248	16,617	9,425	4,358	797	3,561	1,158
Feb.....	28,521	14,258	33,598	16,796	7,741	3,414	490	3,088	793
Mar.....	30,250	15,080	35,635	17,764	8,478	3,408	699	3,632	976
April.....	27,847	13,896	32,804	16,369	8,387	2,780	709	4,029	722
May.....	29,256	14,574	34,464	17,168	9,365	4,154	655	3,736	986
June.....	19,932	9,947	23,480	11,718	9,368	3,627	786	3,892	632
July.....	20,379	10,152	24,006	11,959					945

Month	Wool				Rayon			Finished Textiles Employment	
	Imports	Exports	Railway Loadings	Employment Woollen Yarn and Cloth Mills	Exports	Employment Rayon and Silk Goods	Prices Rayon Fabrics	Hosiery and Knit Goods	Garments and Personal Furnishings
1945	\$000	\$000	Tons	1926=100	\$000	1926=100	1926=100	1926=100	1926=100
Jan.....	3,368	1,595	3,078	163.6	892	566.1	67.2	143.9	150.5
Feb.....	2,287	1,137	2,657	169.3	851	622.8	67.2	148.8	158.1
Mar.....	4,339	1,916	4,507	169.6	424	631.0	67.2	148.8	160.7
Apr.....	3,931	3,523	3,770	169.6	1,312	627.5	67.2	147.2	163.0
May.....	4,089	589	3,254	168.9	1,367	617.6	67.2	145.5	162.0
June.....	4,577	1,658	3,319	168.4	1,108	621.3	67.2	145.5	160.9
July.....	3,915	996	7,335	170.6	1,092	615.3	68.9	146.6	159.6
Aug.....	3,427	829	3,331	168.3	238	611.0	68.9	144.3	153.5
Sept.....	2,983	2,620	4,254	167.0	459	614.8	68.9	145.7	158.4
Oct.....	3,676	819	5,211	168.7	483	622.8	68.9	148.8	163.7
Nov.....	3,058	1,112	2,961	173.6	327	632.0	68.9	153.0	164.7
Dec.....	4,070	2,765	2,564	178.1	409	648.0	68.9	156.8	163.3
1946									
Jan.....	5,045	2,519	2,516	178.5	553	673.8	68.9	151.1	151.6
Feb.....	3,490	1,732	2,367	184.3	175	702.4	71.6	159.0	159.9
Mar.....	4,645	996	2,356	187.4	654	713.0	71.6	160.5	163.3
April.....	4,494	2,286	2,578	188.7	385	710.0	71.6	160.8	165.2
May.....	4,915	3,871		184.5	916	710.3	71.6	159.5	164.1
June.....	4,778	389		176.3	353	702.9	71.6	159.3	163.6
July.....		2,275			923				

¹ Including estimate for non-reporting companies.

11. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Pulpwood			Wood Pulp					
	Exports		Railway Loadings	Production		Exports		Railway Loadings	Price Ground Wood No. 1
	Quantity	Value		Mechanical	Chemical	Quantity	Value		
1945	Cords	\$000	Tons	Tons	Tons	Cwt.	\$000	Tons	\$ per Ton
Jan.....	116,184	1,526	408,962	270,223	175,859	1,869,343	6,922	120,936	55.00
Feb.....	99,391	1,369	563,509	245,204	164,203	2,075,608	7,617	132,100	55.00
Mar.....	97,537	1,241	568,615	273,123	184,780	2,616,523	9,845	159,925	55.00
April.....	65,075	891	408,680	257,174	169,685	2,233,581	8,262	152,274	55.00
May.....	86,466	1,253	464,635	272,861	180,814	2,726,480	10,190	132,820	55.00
June.....	139,583	2,275	540,047	273,877	185,198	2,382,531	8,875	146,856	55.00
July.....	171,399	2,641	443,939	278,068	179,416	2,511,392	9,403	143,970	55.00
Aug.....	197,264	3,255	487,879	291,576	187,357	2,470,154	9,268	153,717	55.00
Sept.....	180,499	2,702	400,884	275,888	171,246	2,415,942	8,923	129,548	55.00
Oct.....	161,072	2,543	337,517	313,300	191,878	2,475,572	9,218	147,996	55.00
Nov.....	172,832	2,907	267,119	301,933	189,634	2,406,609	8,912	126,949	55.00
Dec.....	84,174	1,201	320,477	276,363	173,040	2,506,802	8,620	146,263	55.00
1946									
Jan.....	136,231	1,962	710,451	319,623	190,812	2,209,328	8,249	130,029	55.00
Feb.....	134,376	1,879	879,406	296,403	177,153	2,426,209	8,971	128,286	55.00
Mar.....	142,205	1,995	870,879	327,126	196,850	2,304,947	8,660	149,720	55.00
April.....	92,126	1,305	412,480	330,856	198,688	2,421,107	9,284	143,859	55.00
May.....	80,563	1,348	.....	352,880	207,149	2,549,153	10,450	.....	63.80
June.....	126,464	2,316	.....	327,891	189,720	2,236,786	9,057	.....	63.80
July.....	.....	3,599	.....	.....	.....	2,409,411	9,375	.....	.....

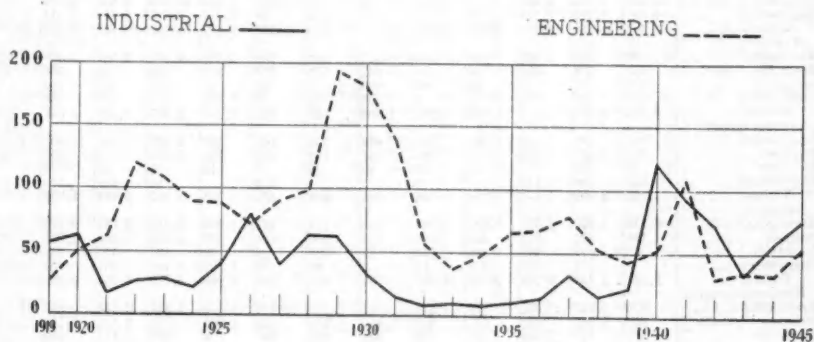
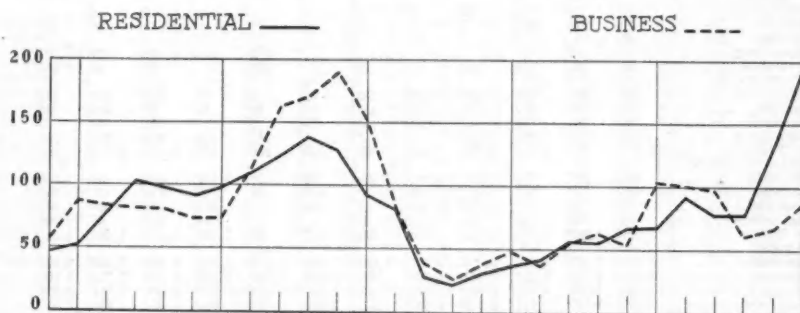
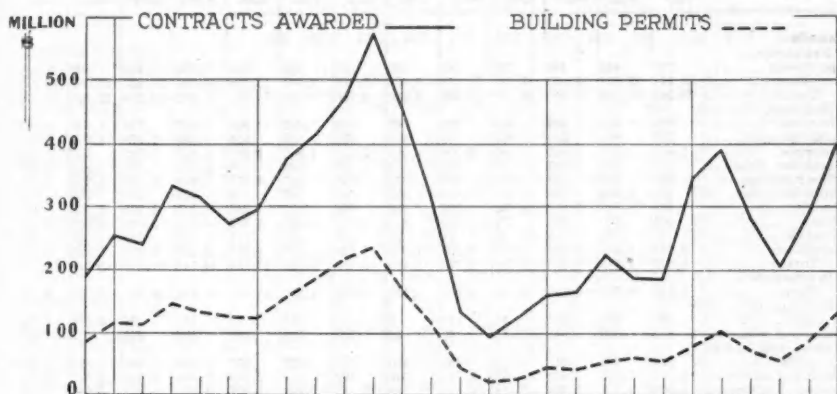
Month	Newsprint						Pulp and Paper Employment	Advertising Lineage
	Pro-duction	Ship-ments	Stocks	Exports		Prices		
				Quantity	Value			
1945	Tons	Tons	Tons	Cwt.	\$000	1926=100	1926=100	000 lines
Jan.....	264,766	264,769	89,227	4,056,099	11,316	86.2	135.8	20,093
Feb.....	239,661	217,250	111,638	4,221,661	11,852	86.2	137.1	21,048
Mar.....	263,776	267,133	108,281	5,056,291	14,125	86.2	137.8	26,324
April.....	245,429	263,754	89,956	5,044,672	14,819	90.7	137.5	25,540
May.....	264,464	264,767	89,653	4,928,678	14,684	90.7	138.1	26,869
June.....	266,420	258,353	97,720	4,971,765	14,765	90.7	141.5	26,204
July.....	270,640	282,060	86,300	5,091,738	15,163	90.7	145.2	20,446
Aug.....	287,030	304,120	69,210	5,181,607	15,506	90.7	146.3	23,375
Sept.....	269,963	277,017	62,156	5,827,130	17,291	90.7	148.3	25,012
Oct.....	310,975	308,090	65,041	5,393,391	16,026	90.7	148.1	29,412
Nov.....	299,158	298,005	66,194	6,037,366	18,064	90.7	149.8	27,529
Dec.....	276,931	262,765	80,360	5,368,520	15,840	90.7	151.3	26,931
1946								
Jan.....	328,414	316,320	92,454	5,834,037	18,728	99.9	150.0	23,178
Feb.....	308,382	285,304	115,532	5,252,026	17,259	99.9	152.9	24,047
Mar.....	334,127	320,351	129,308	5,903,456	19,527	99.9	153.8	28,618
April.....	337,862	348,103	119,067	6,280,305	20,999	100.7	155.2	29,335
May.....	359,943	367,251	111,759	6,521,206	21,808	100.7	157.0	.....
June.....	334,207	322,805	123,161	6,415,118	21,535	100.7	159.5	.....
July.....	357,027	364,591	115,597	.....	22,729	.....	.....	.....

11. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Concluded

Month	Exports						B.C. Timber Scaled	Price Index of Lumber
	Planks and Boards		Timber, Square		Shingles, Red Cedar			
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value		
1945	M ft.	\$	M ft.	\$	Squares	\$	M bd. ft.	1926=100
Jan.....	126,398	6,402,424	1,735	66,503	113,805	551,118	162,778	160-0
Feb.....	136,680	6,620,916	2,280	83,605			197,760	160-0
Mar.....	154,749	7,467,282	1,135	40,362	165,534	781,849	211,292	160-0
April.....	133,842	6,500,156	481	21,613	127,550	614,089	234,705	160-5
May.....	133,198	6,746,439	981	48,593	137,490	662,201	273,788	160-5
June.....	167,774	8,397,035	2,013	107,070	148,669	721,454	297,112	160-5
July.....	181,913	9,146,507	2,124	101,697	128,941	635,890	231,966	160-5
Aug.....	194,195	9,623,086	3,143	144,234	142,267	697,938	261,332	160-5
Sept.....	157,866	8,230,233	1,342	60,651	126,346	604,486	264,353	160-5
Oct.....	224,664	11,345,033	2,999	139,414	146,450	705,144	325,095	160-5
Nov.....	192,118	9,812,856	1,099	43,369	150,399	731,761	242,891	160-5
Dec.....	173,748	8,641,545	4,362	202,901	102,024	503,599	223,248	160-5
1946								
Jan.....	144,978	7,603,365	640	34,534	99,403	528,566	175,883	161-9
Feb.....	127,444	6,600,896	542	31,815	148,106	785,977	198,471	162-5
Mar.....	151,237	7,824,251	1,603	79,420	142,027	776,558	253,630	162-5
April.....	141,016	7,610,252	2,116	111,972	174,471	1,009,630	291,447	170-4
May.....	141,445	8,168,251	3,490	174,658	156,890	909,737	228,427	170-4
June.....	100,639	6,008,827	416	22,654	9,281	64,003	104,438	170-4
July.....	171,114	10,909,968			130,005	839,447		

Year and Month	Passenger Cars						Change in Stocks
	Production	Imports less re-exports	Total Supply	Sales			
				Domestic	Export	Total	
1929.....	203,307	38,824	242,131	N.A.	64,863		
1933.....	53,855	624	54,479	39,568	15,828	55,396	917
1938.....	123,761	13,162	136,923	95,751	40,386	136,137	786
1939.....	108,369	16,125	124,494	90,054	38,548	128,602	4,108
1940.....	109,911	15,010	124,921	101,789	18,145	119,934	4,987
1941.....	96,603	2,646	99,249	83,642	12,315	95,957	3,292
1942.....	12,236	318	12,554	17,286	5,283	22,569	10,015
1943.....	1,868	20	1,888	984	172	1,156	732
1944.....		30	30	N.A.	62	62	
1945.....		233	233	N.A.	44	44	
1945							
Sept.....		12	12	N.A.			
Oct.....	3	20	23	N.A.			
Nov.....	253	14	267	N.A.			
Dec.....	1,612	73	1,685	N.A.			
1946							
Jan.....	1,391	222	1,613	983	10	993	620
Feb.....	2,922	295	3,217	1,581	1	1,582	1,635
Mar.....	5,039	831	5,870	4,323	42	4,365	1,505
April.....	9,863	848	10,711		654	654	10,057
May.....	12,755		12,755				
June.....							
July.....							

③ CONSTRUCTION



III. Construction

12. CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS AWARDED IN THOUSAND DOLLARS

Classification	1945						1946						
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Canada—													
RESIDENTIAL.													
Apartments.....	770	445	445	550	492	100	821	364	589	2,086	2,405	609	1,847
Residences.....	22,478	19,801	19,050	14,629	10,073	8,096	3,074	8,047	15,148	24,181	28,803	22,037	19,229
TOTALS.....	23,248	20,246	19,495	15,188	10,560	8,296	4,795	9,311	15,737	26,870	32,208	22,646	21,076
BUSINESS.													
Churches.....	973	303	489	316	222	69	209	482	966	1,407	1,755	1,345	1,043
Public garages.....	291	421	284	287	642	491	588	847	814	1,666	2,076	1,497	1,672
Hospitals.....	2,035	1,367	1,146	296	3,300	1,238	2,650	1,417	1,500	6,127	2,792	337	740
Hotels and clubs.....	204	307	297	161	285	153	1,399	308	358	3,416	1,355	1,884	1,772
Office buildings.....	537	704	742	996	338	373	955	896	4,852	1,034	2,222	1,360	1,706
Public buildings.....	438	1,435	969	750	318	637	210	187	175	479	113	603	350
Schools.....	1,868	2,535	2,568	1,660	1,788	166	496	977	1,253	1,855	3,705	5,506	6,652
Stores.....	974	470	458	279	656	831	1,472	2,036	3,672	4,011	3,520	3,823	2,052
Theatres.....	37	54	5	33	21	22	192	83	414	1,045	740	1,137	1,381
Warehouses.....	2,266	1,548	1,166	952	1,206	1,594	1,021	1,202	1,221	3,076	3,989	1,826	2,339
TOTALS.....	9,623	9,145	8,073	5,718	8,773	5,473	9,190	8,132	15,154	24,145	22,267	15,224	19,706
INDUSTRIAL.													
TOTALS.....	9,364	6,747	9,586	4,629	6,606	8,773	9,275	4,230	21,486	18,844	18,357	9,270	5,691
ENGINEERING.													
Bridges.....	131	258	204	64	113	5	.....	107	95	440	64	3,575	463
Dams and wharves.....	124	320	41	460	40	42	340	678	150	109	255	70	860
Sewers and water mains.....	311	709	941	972	462	470	194	1,022	370	1,156	1,687	999	1,076
Roads and streets.....	4,692	1,508	1,869	858	3,932	1,540	107	518	2,679	2,740	5,944	9,572	17,551
General Engineering.....	3,093	1,598	1,836	1,516	2,313	1,199	3,485	9,034	1,927	1,011	1,387	5,046	1,250
TOTALS.....	8,261	4,363	4,892	3,892	13,050	2,255	4,135	11,419	5,220	6,054	9,368	19,262	21,200
Grand Totals.....	59,496	46,521	42,945	29,428	44,996	25,787	27,396	33,092	57,598	75,919	82,196	64,492	67,673
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.													
Residential.....	23	16	19	22	18	5	.....	.....	.....	6	4	.....	.....
Business.....	20	125	100	17	41	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	55	100	.....
Industrial.....	45	.....	.....	.....	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Engineering.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
TOTALS.....	85	141	119	39	80	21	.....	375	.....	51	25	.....	.....
NOVA SCOTIA.													
Residential.....	747	426	447	1,882	300	132	42	5	72	153	332	242	153
Business.....	701	224	432	230	399	159	87	28	36	28	534	458	724
Industrial.....	64	102	75	19	133	25	70	5	.....	855	28	12	205
Engineering.....	116	194	203	120	8	57	.....	248	120	638	256	287	493
TOTALS.....	1,619	946	1,158	2,250	840	378	199	226	228	1,674	1,150	969	1,574
NEW BRUNSWICK.													
Residential.....	522	887	301	256	293	234	53	27	2,440	929	786	1,258	303
Business.....	406	792	561	671	605	80	827	38	40	313	677	542	990
Industrial.....	79	36	182	97	88	286	438	.....	605	131	108	1,557	289
Engineering.....	16	132	33	30	68	21	.....	.....	24	202	88	2,984	62
TOTALS.....	1,023	1,847	1,079	1,054	1,054	621	1,317	65	2,440	1,574	1,658	6,341	1,644
QUEBEC.													
Residential.....	5,962	5,360	5,976	3,857	3,407	1,944	1,492	1,828	2,316	8,289	7,405	4,391	5,514
Business.....	3,124	2,727	2,657	2,351	4,346	1,451	2,404	2,386	5,389	9,278	7,712	5,100	4,549
Industrial.....	5,048	3,975	3,888	1,825	2,946	4,439	5,580	1,248	18,377	2,464	6,704	2,385	2,943
Engineering.....	3,285	1,027	917	2,275	1,831	1,522	2,970	39	368	478	980	3,589	929
TOTALS.....	17,418	13,089	13,438	10,308	12,531	9,356	12,446	5,501	26,450	20,508	22,801	15,465	15,934
ONTARIO.													
Residential.....	11,771	8,804	7,978	4,773	6,190	4,531	2,409	3,656	5,682	11,140	13,841	10,997	9,149
Business.....	2,657	1,540	1,457	1,690	1,874	1,357	3,598	4,060	7,125	9,424	6,960	4,811	10,727
Industrial.....	3,047	1,714	3,497	2,376	2,831	2,755	2,633	2,567	1,558	14,754	3,650	4,664	1,970
Engineering.....	1,041	1,522	1,795	840	8,164	715	344	8,824	1,318	2,763	5,617	6,414	11,064
TOTALS.....	18,515	13,580	14,726	9,679	19,058	9,358	8,984	19,107	15,683	38,082	29,068	26,686	32,909
MANITOBA.													
Residential.....	883	698	1,243	849	964	511	104	500	2,501	1,073	2,960	1,068	835
Business.....	552	564	435	124	206	432	153	210	273	680	723	708	525
Industrial.....	363	26	45	34	87	250	.....	27	67	103	353	112	87
Engineering.....	318	590	95	9	3	107	75	78	1,384	176	187	157	1,188
TOTALS.....	2,116	1,878	1,818	1,015	1,260	1,300	332	826	4,224	2,031	4,202	2,046	2,634
SASKATCHEWAN.													
Residential.....	741	811	495	1,841	718	414	107	107	152	1,227	1,664	1,461	1,881
Business.....	560	1,379	1,132	96	228	181	130	173	220	2,259	818	460	439
Industrial.....	67	303	75	26	68	80	28	.....	13	51	61	71	9
Engineering.....	255	509	145	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	155	.....	34	397	310
TOTALS.....	1,622	3,003	1,848	1,964	1,024	675	294	435	385	3,592	2,941	2,302	3,545
ALBERTA.													
Residential.....	2,230	1,826	2,531	1,332	2,768	349	214	414	1,233	2,742	3,084	2,310	1,148
Business.....	1,194	401	649	303	642	353	292	414	979	1,306	1,306	1,064	977
Industrial.....	337	178	191	56	150	88	335	66	73	137	143	223	72
Engineering.....	.....	34	4,428	479	27	5	60	56	1,702	1,446	231	105	2,655
TOTALS.....	3,763	2,440	4,798	2,170	3,887	794	901	949	3,988	5,721	4,764	3,702	4,852
BRITISH COLUMBIA.													
Residential.....	370	1,418	505	376	1,901	168	375	2,774	1,342	1,317	2,134	919	2,094
Business.....	410	1,392	652	237	431	1,446	1,701	824	1,093	768	3,481	2,180	776
Industrial.....	328	414	1,634	196	283	849	193	307	794	350	7,411	246	117
Engineering.....	3,228	384	275	140	2,940	828	685	1,644	304	247	1,607	5,447	1,593
TOTALS.....	4,355	3,608	3,066	949	5,064	3,290	2,953	5,549	3,532	2,681	14,632	8,792	4,581

Source: MacLean's Building Reporter, Toronto.

III. Construction—Concluded

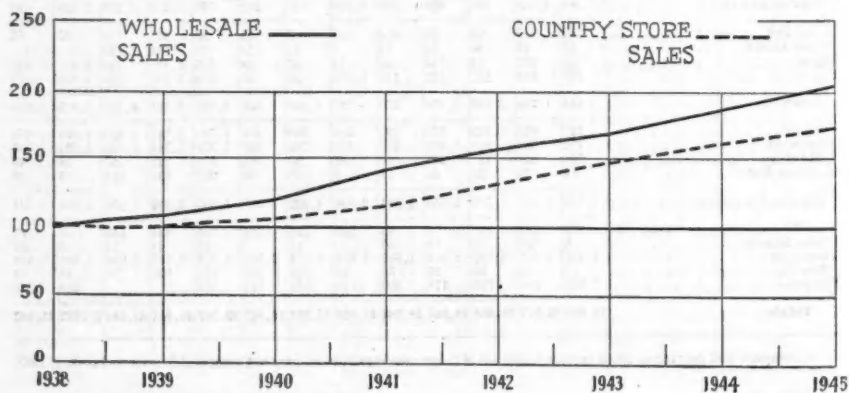
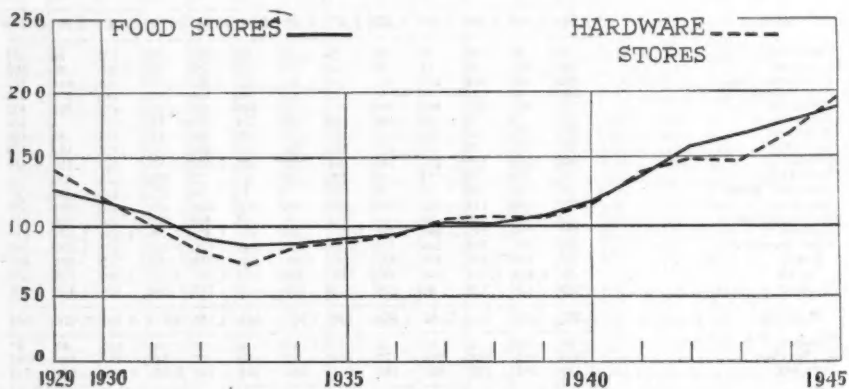
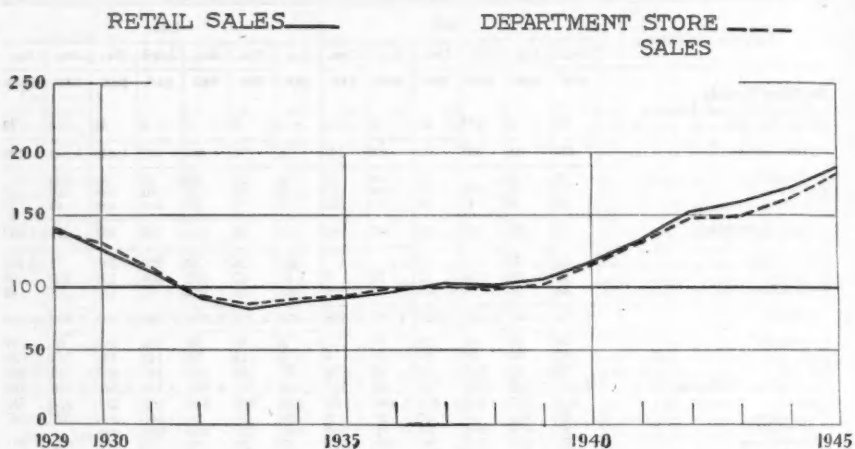
13. BUILDING PERMITS¹

Province and City	1945						1946							
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	
Building Permits—														
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND—														
Charlottetown.....	21	15	317	32	14	15	4	5	1	6	31	138	14	
NOVA SCOTIA.....	537	418	427	382	376	148	156	173	406	951	1,340	1,148	706	
Dartmouth.....	43	40	.....	31	40	16	10	21	32	41	131	119	.....
Halifax.....	152	157	238	149	166	64	106	67	147	192	548	500	331	
Sydney.....	91	24	41	49	41	25	8	7	81	304	288	96	131	
NEW BRUNSWICK.....	160	230	253	436	107	31	277	85	671	732	652	771	1,303	
Fredericton.....	15	73	34	24	.....	.....	208	25	62	223	249	72	1,101
Moncton.....	97	56	138	47	10	4	30	17	107	304	152	537	99	
Saint John.....	43	28	66	351	89	26	38	14	463	57	140	88	62	
QUEBEC.....	6,214	6,131	5,257	4,620	4,130	3,928	2,878	5,903	12,835	15,068	12,960	7,464	10,560	
Chicoutimi.....	24	16	48	29	10	.....	3	53	29	280	213	21	44
Hull.....	107	86	58	27	15	4	6	13	64	149	121	102	98	
Lachine.....	89	51	235	80	23	33	57	50	492	347	420	155	3,048	
Montreal and Maisonneuve.....	5,802	2,844	1,786	1,725	1,649	1,517	1,699	1,751	6,943	8,313	6,646	3,429	3,154	
Quebec.....	561	237	400	508	1,096	66	310	283	836	454	544	574	552	
Shawinigan.....	76	334	34	67	27	2	74	93	74	344	280	107	187	
Sherbrooke.....	37	470	104	94	63	284	113	70	468	202	300	.....	.....
Three Rivers.....	51	265	113	46	302	49	27	25	73	146	119	152	691	
Verdun.....	92	203	245	356	94	120	85	12	309	382	361	193	304	
Westmount.....	14	37	8	20	5	7	71	69	178	209	78	168	114	
ONTARIO.....	7,249	10,684	6,354	7,554	5,453	5,417	5,341	5,021	14,869	20,696	16,530	12,261	13,335	
Brantford.....	66	34	46	65	123	37	19	20	295	270	193	76	34	
Chatham.....	120	416	98	84	66	94	92	58	256	332	1,597	92	693	
Etobicoke Twp.....	406	440	344	513	571	124	281	255	1,643	1,047	953	494	827	
Fort William.....	106	49	131	63	65	15	163	31	106	379	449	277	516	
Hamilton.....	341	231	373	462	606	411	255	343	625	1,481	478	334	402	
Kingston.....	157	76	76	139	190	46	116	74	198	444	238	.....	156
Kitchener.....	194	73	91	548	65	43	181	159	230	477	316	91	106	
London.....	126	138	93	134	177	358	255	169	454	578	723	169	175	
Ottawa.....	265	185	187	287	345	194	49	232	1,244	1,134	523	310	1,410	
Port Arthur.....	171	186	69	134	30	276	16	17	78	399	558	309	123	
Sault Ste. Marie.....	57	73	79	67	22	21	5	41	74	724	113	91	95	
Scarboro.....	173	458	718	292	305	98	184	205	346	651	814	565	476	
St. Catharines.....	52	120	68	54	36	72	70	72	405	371	146	101	251	
Toronto.....	792	938	587	986	1,406	1,721	830	891	1,423	1,743	1,530	1,553	1,229	
York Township.....	469	207	162	258	126	183	457	343	660	825	677	1,697	345	
East.....	177	210	220	403	187	140	110	210	419	464	712	391	407	
North.....	436	4,419	1,028	353	832	111	298	210	1,206	1,547	1,270	703	839	
Windsor.....	375	129	159	94	176	112	130	636	513	289	510	422	197	
MANITOBA.....	1,392	881	584	1,169	1,550	895	1,017	349	1,160	3,115	3,102	1,079	965	
Brandon.....	21	29	3	13	8	.....	32	5	59	65	105	43	37
St. Boniface.....	113	212	108	213	72	668	12	50	177	448	258	196	62	
Winnipeg.....	1,164	581	709	893	945	211	949	275	949	2,323	2,495	942	782	
SASBATCHUEWAN.....	544	1,138	580	428	559	1,266	155	242	920	4,210	2,238	2,655	986	
Moose Jaw.....	107	17	23	26	334	65	2	54	97	211	115	67	52	
Prince Albert.....	90	45	80	30	19	1	21	19	88	316	199	.....	.....
Regina.....	126	727	94	164	40	74	47	68	215	1,401	749	1,107	533	
Saskatoon.....	107	165	281	122	119	1,070	32	47	378	1,241	659	1,172	275	
ALBERTA.....	1,644	1,798	2,390	2,870	570	727	1,403	855	3,706	5,321	4,901	3,373	1,918	
Calgary.....	721	825	1,412	643	229	226	509	476	1,743	2,741	2,056	1,398	453	
Edmonton.....	772	688	818	1,908	269	414	761	197	1,379	2,142	2,545	1,821	1,295	
Lethbridge.....	101	255	137	252	60	82	93	116	351	221	157	95	80	
Medicine Hat.....	44	26	21	46	13	6	38	63	227	136	115	43	88	
BRITISH COLUMBIA.....	2,179	1,981	3,574	2,150	2,824	2,894	4,022	3,980	5,000	5,302	3,570	2,282	3,321	
New Westminster.....	159	122	391	73	93	262	225	301	245	445	166	87	171	
Prince Rupert.....	8	122	13	12	60	.....	18	8	25	38	14	13	82
Vancouver.....	1,417	1,211	1,730	1,818	1,886	1,864	2,718	2,733	3,564	3,748	3,059	1,439	2,343	
North.....	47	35	35	39	34	32	141	107	101	100	73	49	72	
Victoria.....	221	200	765	178	200	549	307	371	352	.....	286	321	.....
Totals.....	19,939	23,277	29,938	19,643	18,284	15,321	15,252	16,563	39,567	55,466	45,324	31,173	33,197	

¹ Dominion and provincial totals include a number of other municipalities and are not comparable prior to January, 1940.

④ INTERNAL TRADE

1935-39=100



IV. Internal Trade

14. INDEXES OF RETAIL AND WHOLESALE SALES 1935-1939=100

Type of Business	1945							1946						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
Wholesale Sales—														
UNADJUSTED.....	206-9	203-7	216-3	217-7	237-2	221-5	194-7	217-1	210-4	234-0	238-3	259-8	241-7	
Automotive equipment.....	235-3	228-3	254-3	293-6	308-6	290-8	202-0	356-5	306-7	333-3	341-3	342-7	339-3	
Drugs.....	210-5	208-0	223-2	227-1	268-2	259-4	198-3	246-4	227-7	228-9	235-8	253-5	213-7	
Clothing.....	144-7	146-7	193-2	199-2	238-6	200-2	116-9	280-8	232-7	235-6	210-2	200-0	179-3	
Footwear.....	210-7	155-9	263-5	243-9	263-9	219-3	219-0	230-1	238-2	290-0	321-5	282-8	239-8	
Dry Goods.....	143-5	121-8	168-9	191-3	184-6	162-0	113-4	201-7	180-9	191-6	193-0	199-4	178-1	
Groceries.....	188-8	186-6	191-1	179-6	203-1	195-8	171-6	185-7	173-2	187-2	189-6	218-1	202-8	
Fruits and vegetables.....	281-2	288-0	278-7	296-4	288-5	298-2	230-5	244-5	288-8	323-5	338-1	331-3	331-3	
Hardware.....	211-2	203-5	218-9	228-6	246-6	236-5	201-6	228-5	258-0	283-8	279-2	300-5	286-0	
Tobacco confectionery.....	267-4	258-4	265-1	250-5	290-6	275-6	272-8	254-8	227-9	272-9	340-0	303-2		
Retail Sales—														
UNADJUSTED.....	196-6	170-6	178-1	187-2	203-8	213-0	256-1	167-0	167-0	210-3	212-0	216-9	216-0	
Country general.....	183-5	182-0	187-6	176-5	192-3	181-6	209-7	138-1	139-8	167-7	186-7	212-7	201-9	
Department.....	169-1	133-1	155-7	201-6	220-9	258-3	279-6	137-0	162-2	222-3	213-2	208-8	191-8	
Variety.....	212-8	196-7	192-0	194-0	217-9	249-0	400-0	144-0	157-2	199-3	221-3	221-6	232-4	
Food.....	210-8	178-2	188-4	174-3	182-1	185-8	215-6	182-8	182-2	213-3	203-8	212-0	222-1	
Restaurants.....	199-1	208-7	212-5	204-6	206-6	204-4	201-7	190-4	181-8	208-5	207-4	210-8	209-7	
Family clothing.....	216-3	179-2	169-8	199-5	206-5	200-9	310-8	145-9	154-7	231-7	252-6	238-9	244-0	
Men's clothing.....	212-1	152-8	140-8	209-4	253-0	256-6	308-7	140-0	159-1	220-6	220-3	208-9	226-2	
Women's clothing.....	217-9	165-8	166-6	212-1	246-7	243-3	304-5	149-7	155-2	250-6	258-8	235-5	224-8	
Shoes.....	261-4	189-8	177-6	204-9	197-7	208-9	257-6	111-0	115-6	214-9	216-4	211-1	254-3	
Drugs.....	184-7	178-5	180-8	184-0	196-4	195-5	286-2	194-7	185-2	200-0	198-5	200-7	197-5	
Furniture.....	164-3	135-0	137-9	148-4	169-7	164-6	166-1	145-5	155-4	204-0	226-3	221-7	204-5	
Hardware.....	218-4	209-2	202-9	212-3	226-8	218-7	232-6	159-0	161-4	218-9	256-3	299-3	286-2	
Jewellery.....	230-6	219-1	233-4	215-4	231-0	293-8	677-6	168-6	198-1	224-1	244-0	258-7	262-5	
Radio and electrical.....	116-0	108-1	112-8	124-6	142-9	161-7	197-2	147-5	153-2	188-0	208-0	228-2	197-2	
Retail Sales—														
ADJUSTED.....	184-2	189-2	189-8	186-0	189-7	200-7	187-4	196-3	212-6	229-3	211-6	208-3	210-1	
Country general.....	172-6	176-1	171-8	165-2	172-1	174-2	174-3	180-0	187-9	196-0	201-5	195-7	197-6	
Department.....	160-6	178-8	184-7	205-3	189-3	222-4	174-4	214-2	215-6	258-9	207-3	201-7	189-4	
Variety.....	193-9	203-7	203-7	200-9	213-0	246-3	227-5	225-9	232-8	246-7	242-2	224-1	210-5	
Food.....	197-0	188-5	198-7	173-7	185-0	185-5	189-8	152-7	198-4	197-4	211-5	208-3	216-3	
Restaurants.....	198-0	201-5	194-4	199-6	202-2	214-5	196-0	199-7	205-8	212-4	208-3	204-7	212-7	
Family clothing.....	198-7	215-4	207-2	212-0	224-6	218-6	193-8	216-5	239-1	281-0	214-0	231-9	231-3	
Men's clothing.....	189-3	193-0	189-8	212-7	215-9	207-6	178-8	197-4	253-1	261-7	195-1	216-4	208-0	
Women's clothing.....	196-3	203-6	212-4	223-8	210-6	217-4	197-2	208-6	246-9	299-1	202-2	225-0	209-5	
Shoes.....	190-4	215-3	203-1	184-5	197-0	214-7	178-6	158-6	195-5	284-2	173-8	189-5	193-1	
Drugs.....	190-8	186-2	181-1	182-5	190-3	197-7	225-9	206-8	205-5	201-1	206-2	205-3	208-1	
Furniture.....	155-5	179-8	134-7	129-0	142-6	152-3	140-5	221-5	199-2	234-1	209-9	179-7	206-5	
Hardware.....	177-3	194-8	189-6	184-9	197-3	215-5	211-7	264-0	295-6	302-0	250-4	225-9	240-5	
Jewellery.....	243-2	269-2	242-2	248-7	249-0	287-9	266-9	236-2	284-4	293-1	297-4	283-4	287-9	
Radio and electrical.....	121-1	129-7	123-6	116-2	119-8	132-8	154-7	176-4	198-5	219-5	209-1	193-8	213-9	

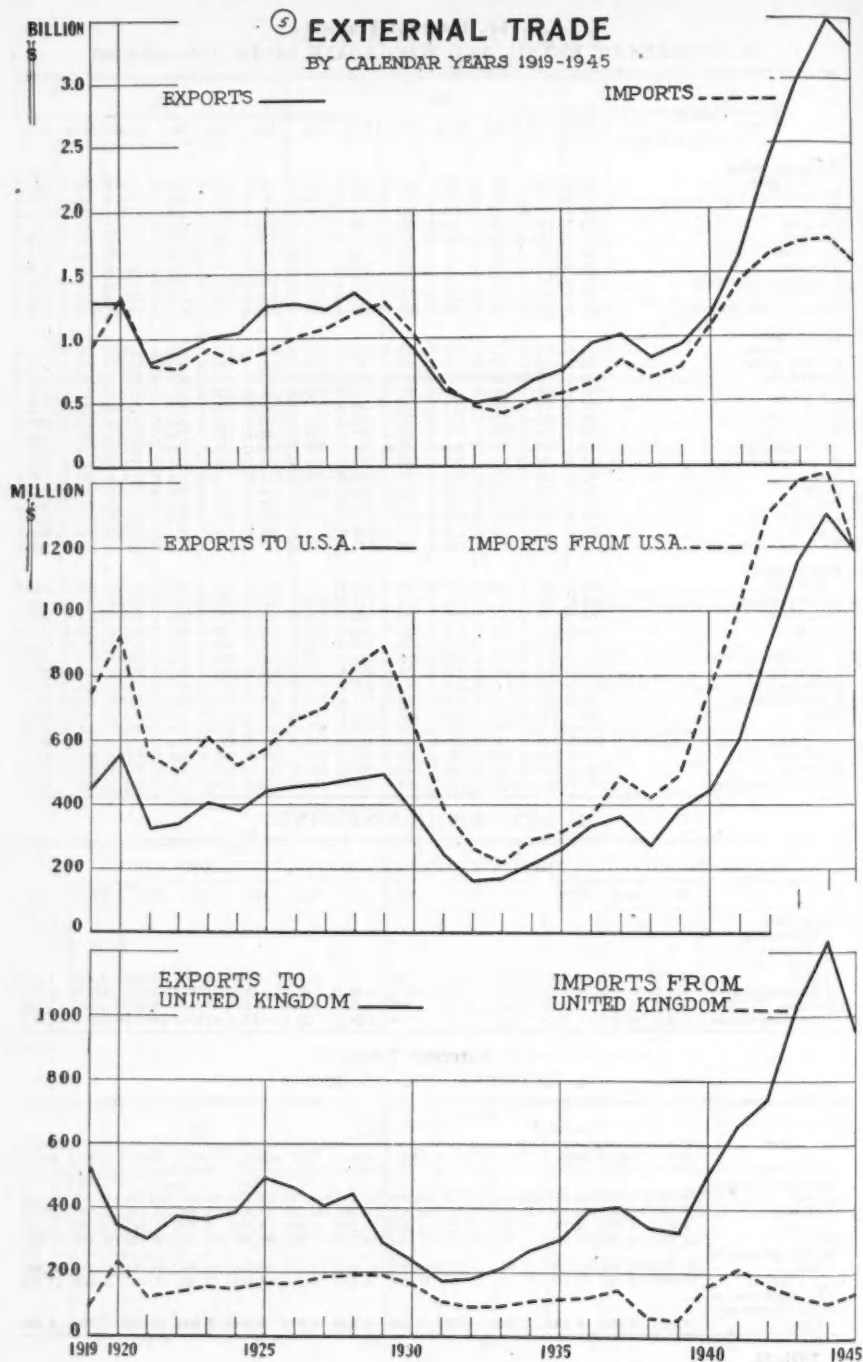
15. AUTOMOBILE FINANCING

Classification	1945						1946					
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Automobile Financing—												
TOTAL NEW AND USED CARS.....												
Number.....	2,572	2,615	2,496	2,842	2,255	1,783	2,311	2,917	4,092	5,784	5,158	4,432
Percentage change.....	-19-2	-5-5	-3-9	+6-1	-2-1	+12-2	+53-7	+69-0	+67-6	+107-0	+112-0	+53-6
Financing.....\$000	1,331	1,341	1,282	1,237	1,197	995	1,323	1,845	2,565	4,060	3,987	3,587
Percentage change.....	-4-0	+5-2	+8-2	+16-5	+13-3	+16-6	+54-3	+128-3	+101-4	+173-1	+246-4	+143-2

V. External Trade

16. EXTERNAL TRADE (\$000's)

	1945					1946				
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
EXCLUDING GOLD										
Exports.....	268,044	300,632	224,981	232,895	241,259	191,344	154,735	179,972	180,262	198,837
Domestic.....	282,709	295,049	220,810	227,901	238,637	189,090	153,143	178,377	178,488	196,978
Foreign.....	3,335	5,583	4,171	4,994	2,622	2,254	1,591	1,595	1,774	1,859
Imports.....	138,681	128,134	122,289	134,404	142,409	140,309	116,990	139,499	160,765	164,197
Trade balance of.....	147,343	172,498	102,722	98,491	98,850	51,035	37,738	40,023	19,497	34,641
Duty collected.....	13,603	12,767	13,798	14,329	14,166	16,195	13,191	18,065	17,555	17,017
NET EXPORTS OF NON-MONETARY GOLD.....	8,000	8,500	6,800	7,700	9,800	9,300	9,500	10,000	7,200	10,000



V. External Trade—Continued

17. IMPORTS BY PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, EXCLUDING GOLD

Thousands of Dollars

Country	1945						1946						
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
All countries.....	138,681	128,134	122,259	134,404	142,409	121,192	140,389	116,996	139,949	160,765	164,197	157,638	161,615
Empire Countries.....	25,342	19,880	23,420	23,408	28,232	21,176	29,748	20,374	26,850	31,904	31,803	34,030	31,301
British East Africa.....	30	58	232	37	130	28	15	1	983	183	455	1	.....
British South Africa.....	301	644	1,054	870	1,143	1,052	1,082	814	730	777	962	461	535
Southern Rhodesia.....	57	7	6	11	10	11	7	9	7	5	5	6	8
British West Africa.....	1,440	238	490	214	509	207	128	881	954	524	2,215	1,233	853
Bermuda.....	3	33	21	.....	3	.....	3	2	.....	4	17	2	4
British India.....	2,342	1,062	3,389	2,787	2,577	868	4,339	745	2,141	3,553	2,436	1,945	650
Ceylon.....	80	837	740	406	697	.....	434	41	333	351	433	515	3
British Guiana.....	1,477	865	741	690	339	102	29	448	1,018	553	307	1,300	1,189
Barbados.....	304	642	565	251	193	78	104	27	27	517	402	878	390
Jamaica.....	950	893	756	1,055	1,428	1,168	1,006	1,135	779	915	1,264	616	878
Trinidad and Tobago.....	709	90	153	275	310	73	73	135	437	146	132	335	401
Other British West Indies.....	12	27	20	41	75	153	97	67	44	37	61	71	30
Newfoundland.....	3,345	1,804	2,878	1,438	2,566	1,152	333	649	404	544	603	859	1,211
Australia.....	946	1,469	1,541	1,201	2,810	491	714	1,272	2,002	1,007	1,628	1,845	2,463
Fiji.....	204	.....	444	283	.....	.....	638	.....	.....	.....	718	.....	.....
New Zealand.....	882	527	990	1,534	763	886	583	909	842	879	1,178	447	560
United Kingdom.....	11,982	10,661	9,631	12,149	14,826	14,855	20,068	12,994	14,435	21,224	18,780	23,394	21,896
Foreign	113,339	108,255	98,839	110,907	114,177	100,016	110,561	96,622	113,091	128,861	132,393	123,628	130,314
Countries.....	103,483	96,756	89,588	101,281	103,283	89,914	97,404	86,046	100,132	114,760	113,420	106,605	21,896
United States.....	409	435	413	258	404	355	542	391	417	359	538	683	415
Argentina.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	17	.....
Bolivia.....	710	816	421	489	1,823	695	1,412	876	732	1,136	1,162	2,399	1,879
Brazil.....	47	43	37	78	10	28	46	36	14	36	28	22	44
Chile.....	1,464	729	1,185	1,201	555	996	1,198	671	658	654	710	1,334	1,129
Colombia.....	28	335	64	32	7	4	44	28	59	89	16	45	9
Costa Rica.....	803	982	823	162	218	923	1,211	436	511	726	2,423	1,790	1,929
Cuba.....	449	293	159	145	11	5	8	7	10	20	25	8	.....
Ecuador.....	6	4	.....	13	45	18	33	20	64	8	42	.....	3
Egypt.....	187	265	108	112	106	132	107	43	652	295	849	294	173
Guatemala.....	15	20	87	134	16	10	156	75	55	323	83	21	16
Haiti.....	640	804	770	818	518	534	710	982	1,370	1,669	1,702	2,071	1,358
Honduras.....	726	1,178	1,182	957	993	1,137	1,415	1,724	2,105	2,282	1,965	1,198	486
Mexico.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Netherlands West Indies.....	20	.....	.....	167	22	.....	.....	1	207	62	26	639	352
Panama.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	8	2	.....
Paraguay.....	.....	37	18	13	52	27	.....	6	.....	.....	115	73	19
Peru.....	1	1	1	30	5	1	2	166	25	7	184	182	4
Portugal.....	113	110	121	379	135	182	108	260	142	215	141	308	220
Salvador.....	15	159	194	138	.....	.....	34	66	650	680	628	.....	344
San Domingo.....	1,040	1,563	390	269	45	446	878	429	515	34	1,551	118	539
Spain.....	185	385	221	241	909	662	834	461	443	452	450	465	335
Sweden.....	40	58	293	150	375	158	259	451	373	265	361	230	271
Switzerland.....	444	879	815	1,011	1,440	701	838	504	687	732	660	544	3,104
Puerto Rico.....	1	8	26	2	.....	1	3	13	45	47	6	1	6
Uruguay.....	28	14	1	5	.....	4	7	.....	7	23	36	34	172
Venezuela.....	1,712	1,638	1,857	1,827	1,635	1,246	1,595	1,207	1,384	1,787	2,871	2,176	1,832

V. External Trade—Continued

18. SUMMARY OF CANADA'S IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD)

Thousands of Dollars

Classification	1945						1946							
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	
Total Imports.....	128,681	128,134	122,359	134,404	142,409	121,192	140,309	116,996	139,949	168,765	164,197	157,658	161,615	
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.....														
Fruits.....	21,025	18,137	16,319	17,612	22,088	23,107	25,034	18,113	26,281	25,415	30,617	25,978	23,914	
Nuts.....	7,518	6,583	6,205	6,362	4,957	6,676	6,703	5,673	6,982	7,371	8,558	9,949	9,969	
Vegetables.....	574	697	796	1,424	2,702	2,775	1,558	1,915	2,724	1,320	2,236	2,175	938	
Grains and products.....	2,204	355	164	637	2,064	4,107	2,518	2,539	4,000	5,182	3,778	3,474	1,706	
Oils, vegetable.....	884	474	510	519	3,000	1,915	1,216	832	1,747	1,642	980	470	886	
Cocoa and chocolate.....	946	923	805	789	1,018	622	1,321	921	893	1,030	1,310	860	607	
Coffee and chicory.....	1,319	.....	329	2	21	18	61	330	429	22	928	565	613
Tea.....	740	1,146	798	833	1,514	981	2,017	598	1,568	1,657	2,079	1,652	2,077	
Alcoholic beverages.....	447	702	1,346	1,551	1,264	537	2,717	.....	613	327	862	449	.....
Gums and resins.....	402	732	640	998	1,113	1,346	1,142	915	893	848	839	864	1,013	
ANIMAL PRODUCTS.....	266	243	269	238	314	209	368	463	281	590	533	271	337	
Furs (chiefly raw).....	2,587	2,607	3,013	4,896	6,159	5,151	5,815	6,539	5,001	4,586	5,233	4,068	5,270	
Hides, raw.....	840	771	1,387	2,304	3,594	3,054	3,635	3,689	2,503	2,015	1,870	1,568	1,540	
FIBRES AND TEXTILES.....	108	178	209	112	228	273	99	277	214	104	243	149	235	
Cotton (total).....	16,044	14,449	15,395	17,565	15,893	17,262	20,690	15,518	20,439	21,038	20,351	20,129	18,114	
Raw, and linters.....	6,356	6,359	5,565	8,864	8,008	9,200	9,425	7,741	8,478	8,387	9,365	9,368	8,521	
Yarn.....	2,544	3,351	3,380	3,795	3,836	4,961	4,358	3,414	3,408	2,780	4,154	3,627	3,265	
Fabrics.....	676	585	527	597	544	850	797	490	699	709	655	786	693	
Flax, hemp and jute (total).....	2,637	1,979	2,354	3,709	3,108	2,582	3,561	3,088	3,632	4,029	3,763	3,892	3,756	
Wool (total).....	2,211	1,030	2,657	1,597	1,293	577	2,270	638	1,907	3,685	1,550	2,085	1,155	
WOOD, UNMANUFACTURED (total).....	3,915	3,427	2,983	3,676	3,058	4,070	5,045	3,490	4,645	4,494	4,915	4,778	4,982	
WOOD, MANUFACTURED.....	3,836	3,740	4,218	4,943	4,889	4,267	4,837	4,884	5,831	6,334	5,667	5,824	5,595	
Books and printed matter.....	512	516	571	628	684	420	556	513	631	621	729	681	774	
Paper.....	626	722	791	887	732	634	699	691	779	1,028	930	1,012	876	
IRON AND PRODUCTS.....	1,038	962	1,065	1,216	1,212	1,202	1,359	1,411	1,660	1,646	1,675	1,509	1,465	
Castings and forgings.....	1,660	1,540	1,792	2,211	2,262	2,011	2,224	2,270	2,761	3,089	2,433	2,622	2,480	
Rolling mill products.....	34,745	32,680	28,528	31,547	29,076	26,777	31,881	24,721	29,979	41,132	41,664	40,453	43,665	
Engines and boilers.....	621	602	496	575	1,712	527	595	283	424	594	563	517	722	
Farm implements.....	5,649	5,022	4,650	4,621	4,443	4,110	4,463	1,292	3,398	5,622	4,890	3,954	4,165	
Machinery (except agricultural).....	2,172	2,317	1,495	1,887	1,640	1,824	1,725	1,404	1,527	1,969	2,562	2,615	4,942	
Tools.....	4,127	4,451	4,269	4,706	3,845	3,950	4,376	3,857	3,692	4,667	5,127	5,428	6,674	
Vehicles.....	8,642	8,053	6,876	8,411	7,696	7,206	9,454	7,559	8,711	10,662	11,093	11,290	10,890	
NON-FERROUS METALS.....	655	682	643	806	661	655	786	688	786	963	890	769	835	
Electrical apparatus.....	7,421	6,273	4,487	4,636	3,728	3,822	3,264	5,065	6,439	10,134	9,654	8,993	8,263	
MINERALS.....	8,217	8,126	7,165	7,650	7,131	5,814	8,559	6,900	7,219	9,331	9,793	11,190	10,458	
Clay products.....	3,443	3,576	3,532	2,905	3,117	2,860	3,276	3,104	3,434	4,106	4,107	4,055	4,044	
Coal.....	26,872	24,682	24,304	27,748	22,840	20,630	22,827	19,674	22,236	24,347	24,464	23,776	28,044	
Coke.....	1,378	1,117	995	1,227	885	1,436	1,477	1,075	1,409	1,602	1,488	1,628	1,529	
Glass and glassware.....	10,359	9,687	9,470	11,189	9,602	8,343	10,151	8,780	9,574	8,152	5,463	5,066	9,795	
Petroleum products.....	1,235	1,072	1,145	1,074	840	886	982	1,123	1,034	740	762	766	926	
Stone and products.....	1,190	1,173	1,202	1,672	1,282	1,319	1,327	1,384	1,778	1,888	1,865	1,725	1,861	
Cellulose products.....	10,140	9,356	9,282	9,900	7,886	6,414	6,780	5,349	5,338	9,001	11,512	11,429	10,097	
Drugs and medicines.....	1,184	797	883	998	830	613	731	654	767	1,215	1,182	1,292	1,413	
Dyeing and tanning materials.....	6,929	5,675	6,596	7,729	6,757	6,635	7,329	6,665	7,558	8,937	8,805	7,507	7,652	
Fertilizers.....	432	318	451	475	500	445	413	515	537	605	601	618	599	
Paints and varnishes.....	749	854	721	825	753	682	857	675	729	980	872	925	869	
Inorganic chemicals (total).....	652	642	639	662	854	832	789	612	700	794	662	812	792	
Soda and compounds.....	404	269	331	463	441	344	486	365	320	506	470	175	252	
MISCELLANEOUS COMMODITIES.....	801	616	684	783	725	723	854	787	846	914	952	838	700	
Scientific equipment.....	860	732	1,222	1,354	983	990	957	796	977	1,180	1,164	1,082	976	
Vehicles, n.o.p. (except iron).....	348	293	269	389	305	330	389	315	456	464	477	362	379	
.....	18,425	18,038	16,722	14,715	27,604	11,549	13,638	14,583	15,404	19,645	17,582	18,732	18,905	
.....	736	678	714	867	872	705	899	956	949	1,276	1,084	1,282	1,177	
.....	1,525	1,306	607	761	444	274	554	988	737	1,170	1,009	799	774	

V. External Trade—Continued

19. CANADA'S DOMESTIC EXPORTS BY PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, EXCLUDING GOLD

Thousands of Dollars

Country	1945						1946						
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
All countries.....	285,789	285,949	226,819	227,991	235,637	234,826	189,696	183,143	173,377	175,488	196,978	166,697	188,706
EMPIRE													
COUNTRIES.....	139,638	138,304	95,650	91,013	82,794	95,741	75,717	54,874	70,147	58,971	84,841	54,807	72,063
British East Africa.....	253	879	44	841	146	31	25	154	193	277	298	123	203
British South Africa.....	3,023	2,682	2,458	2,976	2,668	2,573	3,750	1,319	4,137	3,409	7,118	6,020	6,947
Southern Rhodesia.....	153	136	175	232	97	80	140	332	290	223	481	229	218
British West Africa.....	279	176	205	132	56	114	112	195	197	236	261	166	163
Bermuda.....	132	162	185	254	216	315	274	132	245	241	358	324	299
British India.....	36,616	54,533	16,385	10,710	10,292	13,137	8,424	7,325	4,819	2,301	4,508	4,143	4,347
Ceylon.....	673	629	783	2,236	283	413	287	97	180	119	167	119	286
British Guiana.....	344	517	432	684	555	509	446	464	526	383	637	566	562
Barbados.....	299	573	380	510	456	464	279	379	451	445	594	576	618
Jamaica.....	1,442	746	1,165	1,510	1,888	603	590	633	489	1,105	1,326	684	2,481
Trinidad, Tobago.....	1,132	1,040	1,285	1,910	1,262	1,377	930	1,153	1,003	809	2,270	1,701	1,909
British West Indies other.....	285	674	507	774	775	732	403	421	483	499	688	828	673
Newfoundland.....	3,698	3,300	3,680	3,458	3,594	3,270	2,768	1,367	2,103	2,013	4,300	2,588	4,287
Australia.....	2,596	961	4,023	2,476	4,028	1,991	2,992	933	2,439	1,722	3,183	3,190	3,734
New Zealand.....	2,244	1,992	1,936	3,093	1,401	1,716	1,295	198	927	1,835	1,052	975	1,911
Palestine.....	138	210	86	160	673	540	50	648	64	368	71	10	739
Eire.....	2,293	1,383	1,999	2,106	989	345	837	705	610	87	463	106	575
United Kingdom.....	83,922	66,627	58,820	56,231	52,369	66,397	51,148	37,945	50,549	40,974	54,902	30,621	40,407
FOREIGN													
COUNTRIES.....	143,074	156,742	125,161	136,888	155,843	139,085	113,373	98,270	108,230	119,517	112,137	111,890	116,613
United States.....	102,703	112,645	84,837	88,438	101,211	88,950	62,323	57,563	66,465	71,399	72,200	66,677	74,759
Argentina.....	453	347	740	605	702	834	698	658	1,175	948	766	769	1,180
Bolivia.....	40	5	26	32	45	28	57	26	42	69	58	37	58
Brasil.....	2,559	883	1,977	986	800	4,030	2,621	1,054	1,324	1,714	1,404	611	1,224
Chile.....	204	185	368	283	259	297	245	259	337	270	322	346	271
China.....	158	2	15	1,005	1,669	3,478	2,410	894	2,042	2,017	1,916	4,021	4,343
Colombia.....	432	507	596	529	629	412	602	831	430	691	886	808	867
Costa Rica.....	72	50	86	32	45	52	112	58	118	126	46	77	93
Cuba.....	522	285	317	516	447	288	777	327	421	395	356	411	503
Ecuador.....	27	26	27	43	46	25	40	34	75	50	43	87	77
Egypt.....	1,387	1,064	1,740	1,559	879	1,310	964	1,284	237	2,226	1,222	641	979
France.....	3,122	3,177	4,083	7,136	12,244	9,586	4,291	6,203	8,743	7,585	5,290	6,350	4,358
French Possessions.....	2,280	1,842	1,747	1,051	1,176	427	795	3,215	3,423	947	1,021	236	425
Greece.....	4,151	3,495	1,813	3,487	2,672	1,222	318	8	224	1,645	526	1,664	2,538
Guatemala.....	28	44	48	27	60	50	44	74	73	170	24	105	155
Haiti.....	70	32	94	37	51	66	54	16	166	108	135	68	105
Honduras.....	6	5	69	2	17	14	54	10	29	193	42	84	41
Iceland.....	509	211	413	194	114	68	329	247	21	57	706	327	613
Iraq.....	657	835	448	66	29	44	242	18	8	808	183	496	462
Italy.....	3,995	4,879	2,124	627	296	649	1,735	984	37	2,817	694	5,103	1,705
Mexico.....	845	470	755	659	927	717	491	968	793	691	847	928	979
Morocco.....	16	2,712	2,200	1,265	1,700	72	83	597	153	3	129	26	6
Netherlands.....	2,981	6,114	6,183	6,910	6,211	8,273	6,665	3,236	3,161	1,712	2,423	1,781	1,688
Netherlands West Indies.....	54	53	63	42	105	68	50	107	46	179	168	169	121
Nicaragua.....	20	20	36	35	19	31	21	12	17	20	22	46	53
Norway.....	1,972	812	809	976	1,835	267	1,405	1,288	3,032	1,201	1,743	1,616	259
Panama.....	97	51	103	123	133	118	96	181	146	107	94	125	119
Paraguay.....	81	267	24	46	49	98	42	66	27	103	39	36	30
Peru.....	595	662	131	1,199	143	236	182	288	331	208	206	292	292
Portugal.....	813	320	41	138	324	202	511	123	283	185	317	237	175
Portuguese Africa.....	23	21	25	18	28	14	45	130	157	281	200	159	84
Russia.....	1,183	6,091	2,445	7,115	3,444	2,315	5,834	2,020	2,198	204	1,738	668	540
Salvador.....	28	32	12	14	28	53	18	19	94	27	4	98	38
San Domingo.....	45	44	95	76	103	71	106	55	118	150	130	117	88
Spain.....	111	44	.....	.....	69	197	26	.....	.....	1	12	186	3
Switzerland.....	1,475	19	167	2,080	492	595	434	110	533	459	241	976	262
Turkey.....	53	4	40	111	41	34	9	74	261	237	314	272	98
Hawaii.....	190	503	326	197	162	541	146	441	404	295	253	287	157
Puerto Rico.....	136	246	47	146	191	262	253	312	364	163	305	113	288
Uruguay.....	161	131	216	144	158	301	217	112	203	187	120	124	113
Venezuela.....	307	358	311	315	283	606	1,431	1,587	837	882	1,307	791	538

V. External Trade—Concluded

20. SUMMARY OF CANADA'S DOMESTIC EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD)

Thousands of Dollars

Classification	1945						1946						
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Total Exports.....	287,709	285,049	230,810	227,901	238,637	234,826	189,090	153,143	178,377	178,488	196,978	166,697	188,706
AGRICULTURAL													
PRODUCTS.....	82,623	88,016	67,722	73,130	85,969	83,937	48,155	36,692	47,703	46,436	53,013	37,995	45,119
Fruits.....	189	2,665	3,488	1,171	824	518	889	208	80	113	135	83	208
Vegetables.....	1,034	428	614	1,026	1,347	1,070	1,989	847	969	851	946	1,843	816
Grains (total).....	63,452	67,975	48,123	53,407	64,716	63,724	25,385	16,594	25,405	22,440	20,047	19,230	24,606
Barley.....	2,084	1,918	1,697	1,641	715	68	13	47	14	6			15
Wheat.....	54,844	60,821	43,572	48,138	58,530	58,798	23,655	15,390	24,078	21,236	24,271	15,620	21,124
Wheat flour.....	8,434	8,173	7,140	8,021	7,651	7,404	8,842	8,801	8,252	11,936	13,655	8,792	9,646
Alcoholic beverages.....	1,534	1,872	2,304	2,640	3,354	2,883	2,890	2,728	3,472	2,987	3,975	2,350	2,992
Seeds.....	432	106	207	754	1,783	2,740	2,062	2,277	2,192	1,313	512	148	56
ANIMAL PRODUCTS	31,656	31,022	28,531	33,107	38,253	42,038	35,114	29,522	30,829	24,146	29,782	24,419	26,419
Cattle (except for stock).....	844	624	692	529	576	572	479	609	642	776	1,222	1,220	1,323
Fishery Products.....	8,452	8,926	9,150	6,073	7,675	6,171	6,729	5,218	6,830	5,205	5,865	8,761	9,307
Furs (chiefly raw).....	2,634	1,120	1,087	1,374	1,675	6,330	5,997	3,866	3,056	3,551	4,265	1,960	1,512
Hides, raw.....	40	21	24	79	89	190	120	185	334	202	117	205	110
Leather, unmanufactured.....	334	348	292	288	368	400	480	396	483	518	695	516	623
Leather, manufactured.....	319	246	306	392	364	455	623	468	475	484	974	1,102	904
Meats.....	11,298	8,114	7,425	9,948	17,706	19,771	14,302	14,132	12,598	9,333	11,498	7,673	7,220
Butter.....	126	174	154	323	192	224	127	108	146	76	90	92	148
Cheese.....	1,919	5,390	5,437	5,554	2,145	2,710	1,919	1,152	64	80	89	85	53
Eggs.....	3,092	2,892	1,806	4,494	4,690	1,964	2,757	2,000	4,356	2,088	2,837	858	2,184
FIBRES AND TEXTILES.....	3,803	2,655	4,316	2,879	3,194	4,659	5,078	3,583	3,967	5,827	7,888	2,831	5,530
Cotton.....	704	888	468	742	868	754	1,158	793	976	722	995	632	945
Flax.....	175	71	133	137	49	85	144	219	255	498	361	127	252
Wool.....	996	829	2,620	819	1,112	2,765	2,519	1,732	996	2,286	3,871	389	2,275
Artificial silk.....	1,092	238	459	483	327	409	553	175	654	385	616	353	923
WOOD AND PAPER.....	43,207	44,415	44,052	46,431	46,798	41,607	42,261	39,678	44,872	46,373	48,765	43,288	54,553
Planks and boards.....	9,147	9,623	8,230	11,345	9,813	8,642	7,603	6,601	7,824	7,610	8,168	6,009	10,910
Timber, square.....	102	144	61	139	43	203	35	32	79	112	175	23	75
Shingles, red cedar.....	644	792	620	722	748	523	531	786	784	1,012	915	91	850
Pulpwood.....	2,641	3,255	2,702	2,543	2,907	1,201	1,962	1,879	1,995	1,305	1,348	2,316	3,699
Wood pulp.....	9,403	9,268	8,923	9,218	8,912	8,620	8,249	8,971	8,660	9,284	10,450	9,057	9,375
Paper, newsprint.....	15,163	15,506	17,291	16,026	18,064	15,840	18,728	17,259	19,327	20,999	21,808	21,535	22,729
IRON AND PRODUCTS.....	47,245	49,659	29,050	20,200	17,181	17,340	17,928	19,637	18,167	18,939	17,810	24,706	21,936
Pipe, ingots, etc.....	327	2,156	1,796	2,216	693	567	720	513	170	362	713	520	145
Rolling mill products.....	894	825	651	958	628	270	1,072	572	753	415	673	647	616
Tubes and pipes.....	216	265	117	323	303	171	186	77	214	90	69	36	92
Farm implements.....	1,978	1,593	1,740	1,280	1,552	1,971	2,338	1,320	1,935	4,466	3,282	2,460	2,975
Hardware and cutlery.....	377	402	341	361	356	285	312	193	366	319	353	307	319
Machinery, other than farm.....	1,001	1,624	1,297	1,664	1,886	1,035	880	715	1,218	970	1,178	1,153	1,085
Motor vehicles and parts.....	30,788	33,207	18,481	8,922	9,126	9,590	9,009	10,362	7,558	8,889	7,234	14,504	12,253
NON-FERROUS METALS (excluding gold).....	27,899	26,596	22,677	31,878	26,124	19,105	16,550	11,129	18,379	21,949	23,814	17,414	17,781
NON-METALLIC MINERALS.....	5,918	5,389	5,513	5,430	4,123	3,899	3,662	2,990	3,817	3,856	4,809	4,967	5,825
Coal.....	335	367	522	565	457	377	280	267	405	355	428	622	733
Petroleum.....	1,538	1,293	1,237	1,544	415	622	309	189	148	75	338	217	667
Stones.....	1,286	1,237	1,195	1,206	1,019	1,007	994	723	1,067	1,286	1,298	1,232	1,404
CHEMICALS.....	7,404	9,869	6,846	7,617	6,123	5,866	5,530	5,286	5,634	5,577	5,826	5,155	5,911
Acids.....	328	187	182	111	64	140	200	148	138	165	219	128	183
Fertilizers.....	1,541	2,490	2,550	2,681	3,051	3,259	2,845	3,006	3,141	2,536	2,418	2,370	2,464
Soda compounds.....	568	550	293	226	268	366	439	228	261	363	424	334	440
Miscellaneous.....	32,864	37,427	12,104	7,230	10,872	16,375	14,812	4,626	5,010	5,484	5,271	5,921	5,631
Electrical energy.....	779	868	630	650	670	658	623	612	631	593	617	596	646
Films.....	296	190	61	188	160	290	67	194	231	181	338	161	227

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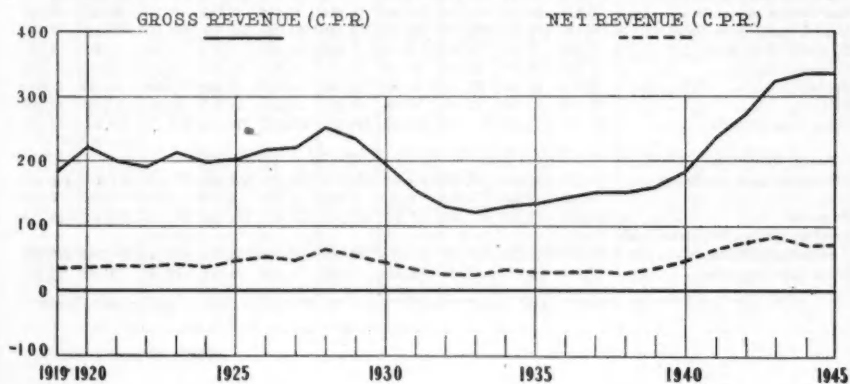
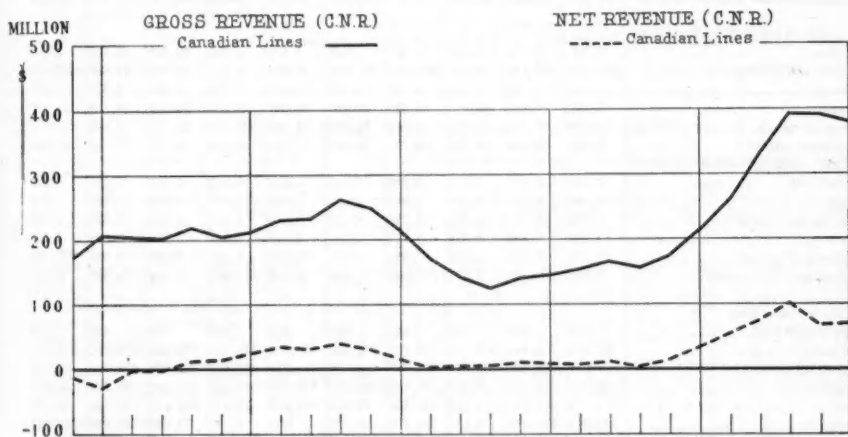
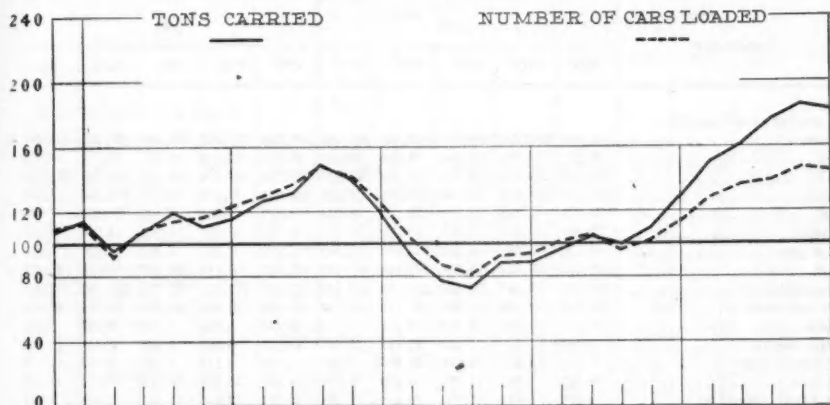
21. CANAL CARGO TRAFFIC

Canal	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Saint													
St. Marie...000 tons	15,949	15,394	15,405	14,721	9,903	1,010				1,899	6,290	12,323	14,987
Welland...000 tons	1,749	1,749	1,789	1,599	1,252	359				646	1,054	809	1,530
St. Lawrence													
000 tons	1,036	1,011	984	900	822	11				266	728	272	893

1 Includes certain military stores.

⑥ RAILWAY TRANSPORTATION

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Commodity	1945					1946				
	May	July	Aug.	Oct.	Nov.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.										
Wheat.....	1,911,806	2,297,491	2,089,060	1,862,628	1,667,283	908,314	631,213	788,501	920,203	784,206
Corn.....	26,511	9,640	10,419	3,091	13,867	24,364	27,933	16,491	18,711	9,715
Oats.....	401,087	279,946	192,719	313,822	264,930	298,506	204,274	232,557	235,189	234,835
Barley.....	126,077	109,517	92,088	417,181	352,333	159,846	79,250	92,376	119,241	134,654
Rye.....	36,475	5,836	4,669	19,185	21,759	4,179	7,944	6,822	11,575	7,973
Flaxseed.....	12,658	15,744	13,699	46,241	51,173	20,271	13,309	16,743	14,794	10,117
Other grain.....	3,123	2,584	3,214	10,679	15,242	7,760	6,209	8,468	5,890	2,287
Flour.....	173,069	157,954	145,396	162,644	151,845	175,530	166,640	198,447	201,815	188,279
Other mill products.....	202,430	176,341	184,564	233,140	242,785	223,409	211,071	241,744	226,182	218,476
Hay and straw.....	21,749	14,534	14,039	40,732	48,722	52,429	40,921	49,878	26,779	27,886
Cotton.....	1,119	1,546	1,910	1,988	1,768	2,139	1,858	1,753	2,353	2,511
Apples (fresh).....	3,382	407	1,164	42,481	28,942	19,123	8,347	6,939	5,951	225
Other fruit (fresh).....	1,277	3,478	22,621	20,407	3,075	1,054	1,113	1,688	2,132	1,414
Potatoes.....	39,883	7,685	13,554	69,292	76,039	31,338	25,189	40,975	33,130	24,248
Other fresh vegetables.....	4,976	8,343	15,136	36,488	25,048	15,214	12,456	11,535	7,569	4,119
Other agricultural products.....	30,251	32,538	32,459	174,827	185,609	101,868	54,338	43,751	36,930	35,165
ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS.										
Horses.....	5,835	5,734	5,826	7,837	6,648	5,841	5,794	12,580	12,596	8,940
Cattle and calves.....	44,330	52,419	68,467	104,030	116,383	53,996	43,988	42,775	39,585	37,626
Sheep.....	1,042	1,724	3,866	13,470	11,125	3,119	2,776	3,037	1,777	659
Hogs.....	29,225	20,897	20,913	22,939	27,855	28,977	22,938	24,612	22,602	21,857
Dressed meats, Poultry (fresh).....	19,632	17,921	16,842	35,782	36,344	34,949	24,750	22,162	17,063	10,678
(cured, salted).....	22,082	14,406	13,098	16,763	22,840	17,781	16,536	14,815	17,774	16,246
Other packing house products (edible).....	3,712	2,913	2,711	3,719	3,494	3,811	2,865	3,033	2,969	3,093
Eggs.....	9,847	5,151	4,423	7,511	3,669	4,902	5,937	6,240	6,196	5,972
Butter and cheese.....	5,366	16,874	14,553	11,714	8,220	3,678	3,002	2,036	2,321	3,962
Wool.....	3,254	7,335	3,331	5,211	2,961	2,516	2,867	2,356	2,878	2,150
Hides and leather.....	6,691	4,936	4,621	7,488	9,901	10,423	8,647	9,133	7,155	6,864
Other animal products.....	9,316	6,947	7,871	10,044	14,662	12,149	9,956	11,438	10,907	8,697
MINES PRODUCTS.										
Anthracite coal.....	278	128	263	354	391	318	489	449	120	274
Bituminous coal.....	603,172	559,444	506,732	562,757	702,130	640,813	669,702	768,848	686,876	714,620
Sub-bituminous coal.....	144,201	236,577	211,657	380,946	318,767	315,467	262,636	172,766	168,168	168,168
Lignite coal.....	212,252	19,187	26,272	94,480	101,147	159,043	143,833	104,109	53,716	46,039
Coke.....	109,710	113,041	115,182	109,556	92,373	96,483	87,472	104,450	85,793	86,781
Iron ores.....	114,212	179,233	175,580	121,776	202,820	1,007	2,780	23,066	113,856	118,063
Other ores and concentrates.....	447,896	465,906	412,769	285,506	312,117	264,622	244,173	240,590	242,704	234,946
Base bullion and matte.....	95,574	99,523	95,640	101,802	96,659	73,482	58,760	88,122	83,581	86,745
Gravel, sand, stone (crushed).....	318,440	512,346	516,791	493,585	345,059	181,738	105,149	164,111	293,218	447,477
Slate and block stone.....	1,916	2,732	2,932	2,418	2,956	1,609	1,410	2,916	3,322	4,131
Crude petroleum.....	25,186	24,362	24,527	13,146	12,213	12,478	12,813	10,764	15,613	31,197
Asphalt.....	15,582	42,696	50,406	22,104	16,168	10,643	11,490	11,564	14,139	22,536
Salt.....	33,915	29,210	31,648	36,624	33,034	28,349	28,512	31,321	30,980	34,266
Other mine products.....	191,728	198,135	217,783	230,468	196,211	172,997	159,393	215,770	216,200	245,401
FOREST PRODUCTS.										
Logs, posts, poles, cordwood.....	178,593	184,515	198,930	179,008	179,313	205,954	242,960	277,489	167,970	185,411
Ties.....	9,636	8,935	5,074	8,065	6,076	3,780	2,670	4,008	5,952	7,270
Pulpwood.....	464,635	443,939	487,879	337,517	267,119	710,451	879,406	870,879	412,480	429,123
Lumber, timber, box, crate, and cooperage material.....	428,370	554,738	537,490	537,875	455,907	364,043	358,672	432,868	398,545	442,269
Other forest products.....	29,946	36,571	37,146	38,438	28,524	16,449	18,161	25,187	19,103	22,429

VI. Transportation—Concluded

22. RAILWAY FREIGHT LOADED IN TONS—Concluded

Commodity	1945					1946				
	May	July	Aug.	Oct.	Nov.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS—										
Gasoline, petroleum products.....	293,534	284,020	315,636	302,976	254,232	239,193	229,336	285,616	302,562	369,624
Sugar.....	22,297	23,632	25,899	27,066	24,729	18,240	13,219	13,198	17,035	18,555
Iron, pig and bloom.....	45,434	29,008	33,713	45,961	46,057	35,432	35,711	57,624	44,493	50,756
Rails and fastenings.....	28,438	13,451	18,081	7,990	7,322	25,923	24,451	24,314	23,696	19,596
Iron and steel (bar, etc.).....	115,830	108,414	98,681	104,902	107,732	89,830	90,362	110,108	97,664	109,804
Castings, machinery and boilers.....	13,264	13,653	11,570	17,404	17,095	13,928	13,517	20,403	18,553	15,674
Cement.....	27,142	136,283	103,698	109,968	59,475	24,464	19,622	49,111	110,825	150,942
Brick and artificial stone.....	29,112	26,569	26,820	28,672	25,071	22,054	19,281	24,250	32,417	29,916
Lime and plaster.....	37,376	35,524	33,075	37,857	33,899	33,200	31,426	38,046	42,618	46,792
Sewer pipe and drain tile.....	4,939	5,069	4,707	7,267	5,176	2,154	2,980	4,484	5,307	4,511
Agricultural implements and vehicles other than autos.....	19,341	16,040	18,100	13,016	14,806	18,789	18,900	23,279	22,484	20,985
Automobiles and auto trucks.....	151,035	116,833	117,745	83,555	35,370	54,021	40,889	54,318	67,885	57,017
Household goods.....	3,031	2,346	2,346	4,511	5,089	1,881	2,068	6,224	6,559	3,645
Furniture.....	4,267	3,233	3,300	4,975	4,677	4,379	4,985	6,216	5,530	5,555
Beverages.....	47,662	45,066	52,222	56,732	55,259	47,839	43,566	50,264	51,377	56,434
Fertilizers, all kinds.....	177,904	97,954	123,257	160,156	164,525	161,016	159,614	231,226	224,047	205,305
Paper, printed matter, books.....	246,622	244,917	264,543	287,076	243,998	289,592	297,715	337,740	336,120	317,100
Wood-pulp.....	132,820	143,970	153,717	147,696	126,949	130,029	128,286	149,720	143,859	146,205
Fish (fresh, frozen, cured).....	11,447	13,066	14,125	17,669	15,933	13,530	11,292	12,956	6,748	6,572
Canned goods (all food products).....	54,941	40,234	39,312	70,536	60,985	46,842	42,269	53,421	38,992	41,326
Other manufactures and miscellaneous.....	788,841	758,665	679,864	648,073	614,658	569,977	517,764	647,520	673,021	678,115
Merchandise.....	241,243	220,394	222,850	251,492	241,614	228,779	232,626	282,822	268,085	274,579
Grand Total 000 tons.....	9,076	9,352	9,117	9,579	9,099	7,648	7,085	8,154	7,712	7,891

23. RAILWAY OPERATING STATISTICS

Classification	1945						1946					
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Canadian National—												
Operating revenue.....\$000	35,474	33,953	31,413	32,402	30,278	31,959	27,318	25,500	28,663	27,804	27,465	27,695
Operating expenses.....\$000	27,233	26,454	26,616	27,758	25,559	26,317	25,277	23,969	24,763	23,291	23,602	23,445
Operating income.....\$000	7,863	7,010	4,351	4,087	4,133	5,040	1,568	1,165	3,479	4,039	3,379	3,953
No. of tons carried.....000 tons	6,177	5,899	5,447	5,965	5,837	5,093	5,188	4,912	5,817	5,091	4,959	5,089
Ton miles.....000,000 tons	2,789	2,616	2,487	2,658	2,644	2,585	2,220	1,973	2,428	2,029	1,982	2,026
Passengers carried.....000	2,572	2,563	2,023	1,850	1,617	2,095	1,619	1,746	1,920	1,773	1,537	1,741
Passengers carried one mile.....000,000 pass. mile	365	340	275	229	172	224	192	164	185	178	146	201
Total pay-roll.....\$000	16,634	17,196	16,068	16,833	16,275	15,960	16,185	15,506	15,908	15,043	15,559	15,392
Number of employees.....000	97	98	97	98	97	96	94	96	97	90	91	93
Canadian Pacific—												
Operating revenue.....\$000	29,164	26,973	28,191	28,790	25,955	25,080	23,472	22,727	25,390	22,760	22,739	23,292
Operating expenses.....\$000	22,526	22,663	21,910	22,199	21,504	20,699	20,781	19,726	21,343	20,034	20,478	20,919
Operating income.....\$000	3,896	816	2,711	4,870	3,324	3,217	1,218	1,360	1,699	1,203	1,048	1,433
No. of tons carried.....000 tons	4,763	4,645	4,485	5,019	4,698	4,267	4,190	3,855	4,435	3,938	3,968	3,718
Ton miles.....000,000 tons	2,396	2,161	2,252	2,468	2,204	2,049	2,019	1,846	2,150	1,726	1,654	1,619
Passengers carried.....000	1,914	1,933	1,290	1,273	1,197	1,513	1,341	1,336	1,403	1,259	1,135	1,297
Passengers carried one mile.....000,000 pass. mile	326	326	250	240	221	208	196	195	197	159	161	199
Total pay-roll.....\$000	11,951	12,142	11,386	11,825	11,585	11,442	11,652	11,184	11,919	11,370	11,622	11,305
Number of employees.....000	66	65	64	65	65	63	64	64	65	65	66	66
All Railways—												
Carloadings.....000 cars	306-00	314-00	300-00	341-00	322-00	272-00	283-00	263-00	302-00	282-00	296-00	.....
Operating revenue.....\$000	70,913	66,784	62,769	66,299	61,247	61,778	55,797	53,343	59,128	55,903	55,459	.....
Operating expenses.....\$000	54,061	53,454	52,581	54,106	51,281	51,490	52,637	47,006	50,016	47,559	48,170	.....
Operating income.....\$000	11,663	8,596	7,928	9,413	7,745	8,068	135	2,974	5,556	5,594	4,980	.....
No. of tons carried.....000 tons	14,580	13,909	13,041	14,062	13,592	12,196	12,453	11,955	13,250	12,287	11,925	.....
No. of tons carried one mile.....000,000 tons pass. mile	5,692	5,251	5,159	5,495	5,298	4,803	4,644	4,215	4,981	4,156	3,983	.....
Passengers carried.....000	4,947	4,945	3,702	3,446	3,118	3,959	3,516	3,410	3,630	3,369	2,970	.....
Passengers carried one mile.....000,000 pass. mile	735	706	569	498	425	465	424	392	412	367	335	.....
Total pay-roll.....\$000	30,529	31,327	29,334	30,625	29,719	29,273	29,771	28,559	29,587	27,169	28,949	.....
Number of employees.....000	174	175	172	173	172	170	169	171	171	164	166	.....

Carloadings, July, 294,000.

24. SHIPPING AT SIX LARGE PORTS

Net Registered Tonnage of Vessels Cleared

—	Saint John			Halifax			Quebec		
	Coasting	Foreign	Total	Coasting	Foreign	Total	Coasting	Foreign	Total
1945									
Jan.....	78,560	132,874	211,434	12,975	231,767	244,742	341		341
Feb.....	69,934	136,473	206,407	10,487	171,696	182,183			
Mar.....	78,120	205,931	284,051	6,290	202,916	209,206	1,189		1,189
April.....	76,791	148,380	225,171	10,804	160,223	171,027	30,845	23,895	54,740
May.....	71,544	133,275	204,819	9,750	172,419	182,169	87,958	98,647	186,605
June.....	98,766	83,138	181,904	7,162	112,809	119,971	388,676	94,167	482,843
July.....	87,883	119,273	207,156	8,062	156,448	164,510	367,556	77,054	444,610
Aug.....	88,843	79,524	168,367	6,094	95,751	101,845	361,908	150,426	512,334
Sept.....	80,854	67,146	148,000	7,277	80,366	87,643	301,246	116,774	418,020
Oct.....	70,579	64,429	135,008	10,813	164,789	175,602	106,867	81,845	188,712
Nov.....	73,705	48,904	122,609	27,701	186,552	214,253	63,643	72,754	136,397
Dec.....	78,013	151,888	229,901	18,421	208,922	227,343	8,271	53,988	62,259
1946									
Jan.....	85,457	186,250	271,707	17,988	316,786	334,774			
Feb.....	59,193	150,945	210,138	35,047	240,981	276,028			
Mar.....	87,966	212,826	300,792	32,332	405,959	438,271	581		581
April.....	90,231	160,615	250,846	43,351	282,264	325,615	29,970	17,692	47,662
May.....	82,734	52,311	135,045	27,360	292,073	319,333	82,869	39,844	122,713

—	Montreal			Toronto			Vancouver		
	Coasting	Foreign	Total	Coasting	Foreign	Total	Coasting	Foreign	Total
1945									
Jan.....				2,198		2,198	556,723	133,014	689,737
Feb.....							493,906	139,476	633,382
Mar.....				18,230	2,683	20,913	476,190	162,385	638,575
April.....	72,687	95,352	168,039	100,126	133,402	233,528	522,119	152,845	674,964
May.....	181,995	449,285	631,280	183,398	191,223	374,621	548,154	221,468	769,622
June.....	330,806	465,977	796,783	247,224	191,926	439,150	569,525	186,264	755,789
July.....	364,760	485,131	849,891	352,136	208,542	560,678	646,131	261,698	907,829
Aug.....	333,449	503,256	836,705	292,926	213,299	506,225	684,402	228,348	912,750
Sept.....	303,897	430,301	734,198	231,682	191,023	422,705	550,896	237,184	788,080
Oct.....	177,753	487,998	665,751	117,730	185,805	303,535	491,913	240,408	732,321
Nov.....	163,025	483,049	646,074	96,695	100,949	257,644	541,297	271,227	812,524
Dec.....	15,856	28,364	44,220	43,042	49,947	92,989	565,638	250,331	815,969
1946									
Jan.....							483,915	319,421	803,336
Feb.....							494,257	295,312	789,569
Mar.....				1,422		1,422	543,230	375,672	918,902
April.....	99,599	69,341	168,940	85,680	68,102	153,782	513,827	332,354	846,181
May.....	254,064	347,420	601,484	134,934	70,700	205,634	576,132	341,597	917,729

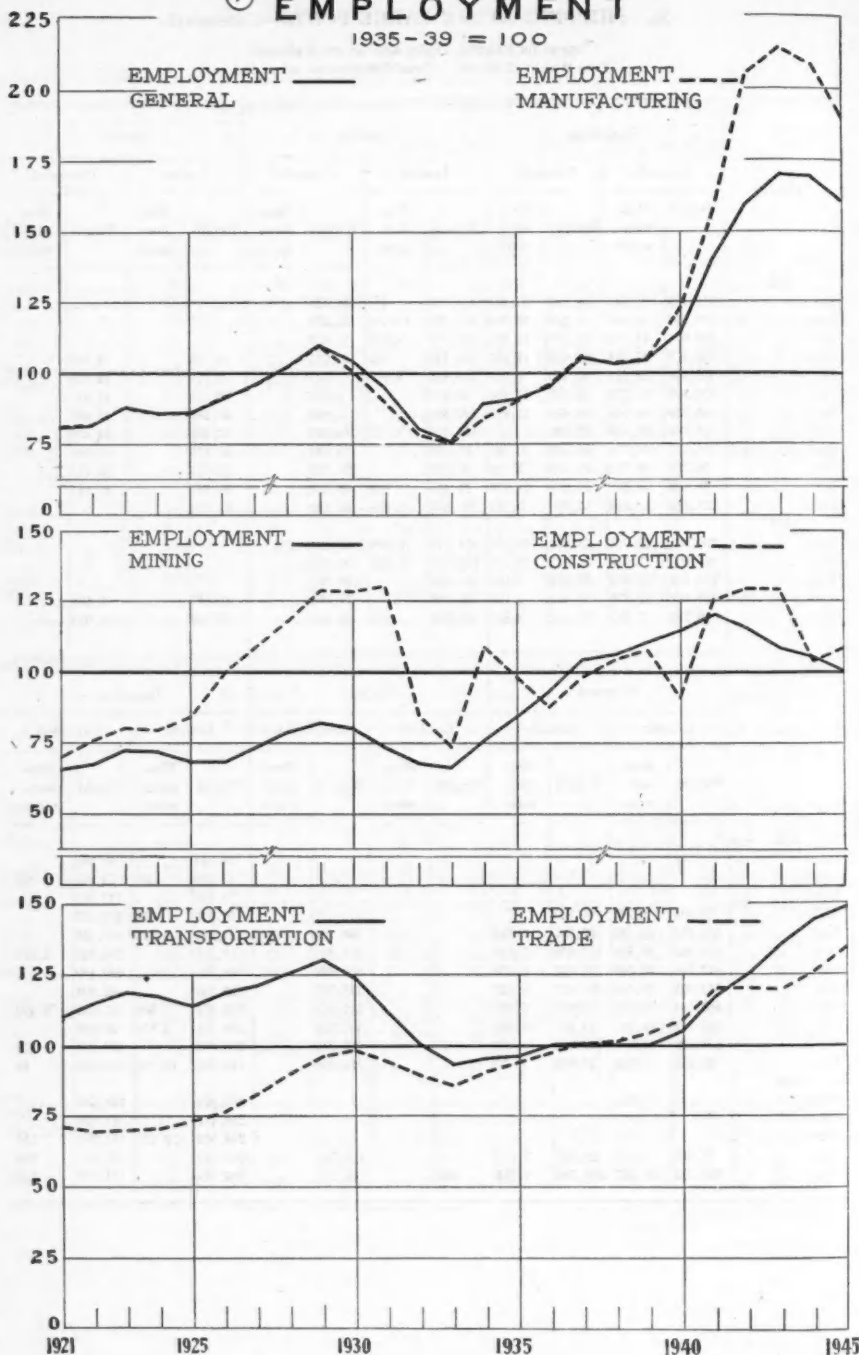
24. SHIPPING AT SIX LARGE PORTS—Concluded

Cargoes (in External Trade) Loaded and Unloaded
Tons Weight (2,000 lb) Tons Measurement (40 cu. ft.)

Month	Saint John				Halifax				Quebec			
	Loaded		Unloaded		Loaded		Unloaded		Loaded		Unloaded	
	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment
1945												
Jan.....	212,438	24,541	40,296	11,334	198,754	411	246,155					
Feb.....	229,997	36,141	48,351	16,300	179,672	15,273	24,235					
Mar.....	344,018	34,672	47,150	12,834	228,270	8,848	23,605					
April.....	243,473	25,044	52,049	12,635	145,749	102	21,974		19,795		8,052	
May.....	232,804	38,571	41,220	8,031	169,917	2,626	747		76,298		42,669	
June.....	128,894	38,778	45,589	17,653	94,617		5,059		90,174		41,817	
July.....	155,970	63,568	53,411	11,068	122,890		2,623		48,386		48,846	
Aug.....	103,389	67,925	31,601		101,776	8,137	14,823		63,936		36,436	
Sept.....	68,397	54,371	28,989	10,292	65,892		19,854		43,276		62,988	
Oct.....	66,716	28,782	22,235	1,108	39,990		26,523		35,634		60,118	
Nov.....	48,482	19,392	26,079	21,322	71,485	125	65,736		54,521		47,641	
Dec.....	223,185	38,353	47,296	9,161	169,875	9,658	83,120		59,989			
1946												
Jan.....	290,561	23,976	63,884	19,383	174,313	12,309	61,834					
Feb.....	227,897	17,959	56,617	9,345	120,473	20,492	100,032					
Mar.....	316,919	29,876	52,019	8,550	251,060		156,777					
April.....	226,482	12,876	53,400	8,166	156,388		77,036		27,747		3,569	
May.....	69,288	7,462	30,191	5,868	103,593	192	98,584		18,730		21,075	
	Montreal				Toronto				Vancouver			
	Loaded		Unloaded		Loaded		Unloaded		Loaded		Unloaded	
	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment
1945												
Jan.....									64,344		62,042	
Feb.....									43,163	130	73,851	327
Mar.....									70,649		132,633	
April.....	62,646	2,747	97,330				173,477		89,519	532	104,317	
May.....	568,652	38,630	327,307	7,534			298,764		181,541	1,220	133,159	
June.....	666,861	25,870	279,803	7,672			237,064		67,617		106,918	2,520
July.....	617,106	30,662	307,139	6,836			302,628		164,541		160,480	
Aug.....	652,065	63,400	295,477	5,237			328,722		125,843		143,898	
Sept.....	462,434	76,832	345,500	2,933			262,383		182,275	1,500	107,655	9,490
Oct.....	656,512	36,808	254,207	19,363			302,254		183,868	5,876	94,306	
Nov.....	603,053	62,378	297,439	9,095			270,216		204,802		130,204	172
Dec.....	56,249	3,312	33,662	70			118,630		184,906	11,764	110,075	48
1946												
Jan.....									280,991		133,548	
Feb.....									258,473		91,823	
Mar.....									284,062	12,128	141,286	155
April.....	75,821	4,097	26,357	3,410			111,717		257,789		123,171	224
May.....	825,702	50,447	108,799	9,542	597		95,268		205,730		194,764	622

⑦ EMPLOYMENT

1935-39 = 100



VII. Employment

25. UNADJUSTED INDEXES OF EMPLOYMENT, FIRST OF MONTH—1926=100

Classification	1945							1946					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Eight Groups.....	175-2	175-5	175-6	172-8	168-7	171-2	173-2	168-2	167-2	167-0	165-9	169-3	169-9
MANUFACTURING.....	200-0	207-2	204-1	198-6	188-3	186-3	184-2	179-9	182-8	182-6	184-9	186-2	184-6
Animal products—edible.....	218-6	224-5	224-0	235-2	238-8	243-4	245-6	232-7	223-4	210-1	212-2	216-5	223-9
Fur and products.....	141-0	143-1	140-4	141-3	146-7	147-9	154-4	153-3	154-0	153-0	157-8	161-3	161-2
Leather and products.....	140-1	139-6	139-8	141-9	142-5	146-1	148-1	142-6	149-0	152-1	155-9	156-9	155-7
Lumber and products.....	124-9	129-8	130-4	130-9	126-4	125-5	121-3	116-4	117-2	119-5	122-9	126-2	103-7
Rough and dressed lumber.....	104-7	110-6	110-5	111-1	107-2	104-6	98-7	93-3	93-6	99-0	99-4	103-8	74-7
Furniture.....	126-6	128-8	130-4	131-4	134-7	139-3	141-5	140-5	142-2	146-0	147-1	146-9	146-1
Other lumber products.....	199-7	203-5	206-0	205-6	191-0	190-5	186-9	180-2	171-1	181-9	187-9	190-9	171-7
Musical instruments.....	28-2	28-0	29-3	30-4	32-1	32-5	33-5	34-2	36-1	35-9	36-9	37-4	37-7
Plant products—edible.....	155-6	159-8	176-0	177-0	203-2	182-8	176-8	159-9	161-4	156-8	157-0	157-5	159-1
Pulp and paper products.....	141-5	145-2	146-3	148-3	148-1	149-8	151-3	150-0	152-9	153-8	155-2	157-0	159-5
Pulp and paper.....	128-2	132-8	134-8	137-5	134-8	133-9	133-2	131-5	133-9	134-9	137-4	140-8	144-9
Paper products.....	213-5	218-9	218-0	221-6	225-5	232-1	226-0	221-4	227-3	236-4	235-2	235-0	236-2
Printing and publishing.....	134-8	137-0	137-6	138-2	139-8	143-8	147-1	147-0	149-4	150-8	151-4	152-0	152-8
Rubber products.....	181-1	181-0	181-3	178-0	173-2	176-1	178-0	178-1	184-1	186-1	188-5	187-1	186-2
Textile products.....	157-8	157-4	154-4	156-2	150-0	161-5	162-9	157-4	163-8	166-3	167-5	166-1	164-3
Thread, yarn and cloth.....	156-9	157-8	157-3	156-9	158-5	161-1	164-7	164-5	167-7	170-6	171-1	168-8	165-4
Hosiery and knit goods.....	145-5	146-6	144-3	145-7	148-8	153-0	156-8	151-1	159-0	160-5	160-8	159-5	159-3
Garments and personal furnishings.....	160-9	159-6	153-5	158-4	163-7	164-7	163-3	151-6	159-9	162-9	165-2	164-1	163-6
Other textile products.....	170-5	166-3	164-1	163-4	161-9	165-7	165-8	162-7	171-1	172-2	174-0	173-8	173-0
Tobacco.....	124-2	122-0	113-3	121-5	126-3	131-3	146-9	143-9	145-9	137-0	127-8	114-5	114-3
Beverages.....	259-2	265-7	266-4	274-6	283-7	292-6	280-6	281-7	278-8	275-1	282-4	285-8	288-8
Chemicals and allied products.....	544-4	472-5	430-9	389-9	363-6	354-4	342-6	332-1	324-0	323-5	327-2	323-8	325-6
Clay, glass and stone products.....	138-2	141-7	144-7	145-5	145-6	150-1	151-8	164-8	154-8	154-9	160-3	162-9	167-2
Electrical apparatus.....	147-3	144-3	160-5	162-9	160-2	162-5	164-1	160-0	161-9	159-3	166-2	168-4	174-5
Electric light and power.....	287-5	291-3	285-8	279-9	267-4	267-3	274-0	273-1	283-9	285-6	281-9	290-2	291-4
Iron and steel products.....	256-3	282-1	273-3	253-7	215-0	208-6	200-8	200-1	204-3	202-2	206-8	208-9	208-8
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	242-4	243-4	241-3	237-7	228-8	225-2	222-0	248-4	253-9	254-1	257-4	259-0	257-3
Machinery.....	215-7	216-4	215-0	216-3	213-7	217-6	222-6	222-7	225-5	229-2	232-5	232-7	235-1
Agricultural implements.....	142-3	144-7	145-4	139-9	140-3	169-8	158-2	161-0	164-8	169-3	166-5	164-6	164-0
Land vehicles.....	280-3	244-1	235-6	212-1	161-2	154-4	145-6	155-9	160-8	159-3	166-2	172-3	173-4
Automobiles and parts.....	278-0	277-4	272-5	269-3	171-3	168-5	139-9	168-4	214-6	207-2	229-1	256-0	263-8
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	1234-5	1253-8	1212-4	1068-2	876-3	836-7	722-9	613-4	575-4	538-7	544-5	535-0	527-4
Heating appliances.....	192-3	189-2	178-8	180-0	178-4	183-0	191-4	190-7	193-6	193-5	193-0	191-6	185-0
Iron and steel fabrication.....	264-7	259-6	267-5	249-5	235-5	224-5	220-3	178-1	180-1	177-1	177-3	178-7	178-7
Foundry and machine shop products.....	229-0	228-8	226-9	211-0	198-3	197-2	199-0	198-1	204-3	210-0	222-8	220-4	213-6
Other iron and steel products.....	319-9	307-2	289-9	277-6	241-5	229-0	220-3	212-0	223-6	223-5	222-7	220-8	221-0
Non-ferrous metal products.....	375-3	346-8	338-0	315-6	238-5	263-4	290-8	282-2	281-4	286-6	291-0	293-7	291-3
Non-metallic mineral products.....	215-7	223-3	224-7	222-2	217-0	215-7	214-8	212-3	214-2	214-7	217-0	217-4	225-1
Miscellaneous.....	340-7	339-2	324-0	325-9	297-6	265-3	287-2	281-9	287-0	291-3	294-0	296-1	290-7
LOGGING.....	201-1	184-6	183-2	181-4	205-2	277-1	326-8	344-4	343-5	339-5	303-6	223-9	194-6
MINING.....	144-6	146-5	144-9	143-9	143-6	144-7	150-5	149-1	150-8	152-9	153-8	155-7	157-3
Coal.....	92-2	91-6	90-2	89-4	90-5	90-5	90-5	90-5	90-5	90-5	90-5	90-5	90-5
Metallic ores.....	247-5	246-9	244-9	241-5	238-7	246-6	259-4	257-8	264-3	270-9	273-6	276-2	279-5
Non-metallic (except minerals).....	163-2	179-8	178-5	181-1	184-1	169-9	167-4	157-5	156-0	156-1	161-7	177-4	184-5
COMMUNICATIONS.....	115-5	118-7	121-8	123-4	123-4	125-2	126-7	127-1	127-3	128-4	132-4	135-4	141-1
Telegraphs.....	126-8	130-8	133-4	135-4	136-8	138-6	139-7	137-6	134-9	134-6	133-9	134-0	137-3
Telephones.....	112-1	115-1	118-3	119-7	120-0	120-9	122-7	123-9	124-7	126-2	131-4	135-2	141-5
TRANSPORTATION.....	125-9	126-3	127-8	122-3	127-3	127-4	128-0	125-2	122-2	121-3	124-0	127-7	126-7
Street railways and carage.....	190-7	192-7	195-2	196-4	197-5	200-9	201-9	198-3	197-2	197-0	199-6	203-5	207-7
Steam railways.....	107-9	107-7	110-0	111-1	110-5	109-9	110-2	111-7	109-8	109-1	109-8	108-9	106-9
Shipping and stevedoring.....	118-3	117-6	115-4	112-7	107-6	106-6	107-7	90-1	79-1	77-0	86-4	106-6	103-0
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	103-1	112-6	119-3	123-9	124-7	130-7	132-0	107-7	102-4	101-3	106-0	115-2	131-1
Building.....	90-7	98-3	103-0	115-2	122-1	133-9	137-3	129-0	121-4	118-3	123-1	130-9	142-9
Highway.....	131-8	146-6	156-9	158-3	155-8	161-1	167-1	130-6	99-1	95-6	106-8	138-1	167-0
Railway.....	80-6	96-0	101-7	101-7	99-2	98-3	94-6	89-0	85-9	89-1	87-5	77-2	85-7
SERVICES.....	202-4	208-9	211-3	213-1	209-9	210-5	211-2	207-3	211-9	211-7	217-1	219-1	224-3
Hotels and restaurants.....	201-4	210-3	214-1	215-5	208-3	206-9	208-0	208-0	208-0	210-8	210-8	213-0	221-3
Personal (chiefly laundries).....	204-5	206-3	206-0	208-2	213-0	217-4	217-4	210-7	217-6	218-0	229-4	230-0	230-3
TRADE.....	171-1	172-0	171-4	172-2	176-5	181-7	192-3	192-9	178-6	179-9	184-8	186-7	187-7
Retail.....	177-4	177-8	176-3	176-7	182-4	188-6	203-1	204-4	183-9	185-3	191-0	193-9	194-3
Wholesale.....	155-9	157-8	159-8	161-3	162-6	165-0	166-7	165-6	166-4	167-0	169-9	169-9	172-3

VII. Employment—Continued

26. SEASONALLY ADJUSTED INDEXES OF EMPLOYMENT, FIRST OF MONTH

Classification	1945							1946					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Eight Groups.....	175.3	173.1	170.2	166.0	160.5	163.7	166.8	174.7	173.6	174.6	178.5	175.7	169.9
MANUFACTURING.....	204.9	202.7	199.5	193.0	182.4	184.5	186.2	192.6	190.2	186.4	186.2	184.4	181.0
Leather and products.....	136.1	140.2	136.8	137.2	137.8	147.3	153.8	161.5	155.2	150.3	151.1	149.6	151.3
Rough and dressed lumber.....	93.4	90.7	88.3	91.4	95.3	104.4	111.0	119.8	115.6	116.8	119.8	110.7	66.6
Furniture.....	128.5	131.7	126.8	133.4	128.4	129.5	132.4	149.0	142.9	146.6	148.3	150.1	148.3
Musical instruments.....	34.1	31.0	29.2	26.4	26.4	25.8	26.8	34.4	40.2	41.2	45.1	46.1	45.6
Pulp and paper.....	125.8	128.6	126.9	132.3	130.7	130.9	135.7	141.6	142.3	141.6	142.3	142.1	142.2
Paper products.....	211.8	219.1	217.3	218.3	219.6	222.9	228.9	243.1	245.1	240.2	238.5	233.0	234.3
Printing and publishing.....	134.8	138.1	137.7	138.9	139.6	143.1	144.5	145.5	147.9	152.3	152.5	153.4	152.8
Rubber products.....	181.8	182.1	182.9	179.3	173.5	174.7	173.0	180.4	185.0	183.9	187.6	188.8	186.9
Textile products.....	155.8	159.0	159.7	158.4	157.1	159.0	163.9	165.7	164.7	163.2	162.3	161.6	162.4
Thread, yarn and cloth.....	156.6	159.7	158.4	156.4	159.3	160.8	162.6	166.3	168.2	168.6	169.6	168.8	165.1
Hosiery and knit goods.....	146.5	147.6	148.0	147.9	148.5	147.8	151.8	155.6	160.8	160.2	158.1	158.1	160.4
Clay, glass and stone products.....	128.8	128.0	129.8	131.4	133.2	142.7	154.7	171.2	180.0	181.6	180.5	164.0	155.8
Electric light and power.....	147.9	162.2	156.0	156.3	154.5	159.9	165.6	166.8	168.6	168.5	170.2	171.7	175.0
Electrical apparatus.....	290.7	288.7	285.6	274.4	287.1	285.6	270.9	279.3	290.3	294.7	289.1	284.6	294.6
Iron and steel products.....	373.4	377.2	379.7	365.9	328.7	317.3	305.1	311.1	301.8	294.8	289.7	284.6	299.4
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	233.3	243.2	243.5	242.6	236.6	228.4	225.8	221.9	220.6	250.1	237.7	247.2	247.6
Machinery other than vehicles.....	213.6	212.4	210.8	215.2	211.6	215.7	220.6	227.7	232.2	233.6	233.5	233.2	232.8
Agricultural implements.....	127.3	125.8	139.0	167.4	168.2	176.1	176.8	181.5	161.7	153.4	147.5	150.0	146.7
Logging.....	261.9	259.6	278.0	276.9	237.0	223.1	223.1	233.8	235.9	272.3	385.1	317.4	253.4
Mining.....	148.9	149.8	145.5	142.5	139.1	138.5	144.9	148.7	150.5	155.0	158.7	162.4	162.0
Metallic ores.....	250.3	246.9	240.1	236.5	230.5	237.8	235.6	264.1	271.1	276.4	279.8	281.0	282.6
Non-metallic minerals (except coal).....	152.8	170.3	165.1	165.8	167.8	168.3	164.3	168.4	170.1	176.2	178.7	186.6	179.5
Telephones.....	112.7	114.3	115.6	116.4	117.9	119.9	121.5	124.7	127.8	129.0	133.8	137.5	142.4
TRANSPORTATION.....	124.7	122.6	122.9	122.3	121.0	123.0	126.2	131.2	129.2	129.3	131.2	128.3	125.2
Street railway and cartage.....	190.7	190.6	192.3	190.7	190.6	196.8	201.7	201.9	202.9	202.6	205.3	206.2	207.7
Steam railways.....	109.7	106.7	107.0	106.8	105.9	107.3	109.5	112.7	113.4	112.8	113.6	112.0	108.6
Shipping and stevedoring.....	108.0	106.5	103.2	100.4	94.0	96.4	98.3	114.6	100.8	97.7	102.0	99.0	94.1
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	103.2	98.9	98.5	100.2	102.8	110.9	135.4	131.4	129.8	126.2	132.8	132.4	131.2
Building.....	89.1	91.0	89.6	95.5	104.0	114.2	129.4	142.9	145.6	148.1	151.2	142.3	140.4
Highway.....	137.4	126.5	128.1	130.0	129.2	133.7	170.4	136.9	125.4	130.3	128.0	162.9	174.1
Railway.....	81.7	83.0	87.7	85.5	87.5	96.8	109.6	108.0	98.1	99.7	103.2	82.5	78.1
Hotels and restaurants.....	204.9	198.6	193.9	191.6	205.6	210.7	214.9	211.5	218.9	218.6	226.4	226.4	225.1
TRADE.....	170.6	177.0	178.2	173.6	176.0	178.4	183.9	184.8	185.6	190.1	185.9	186.5	187.1
Retail.....	178.7	177.6	181.2	181.8	185.0	182.2	192.8	185.8	189.0	190.1	195.7	195.5	195.7
Wholesale.....	156.6	157.2	158.4	158.8	157.9	160.3	163.6	168.0	170.2	173.0	173.6	172.7	173.2
Economic Areas.....	182.5	170.9	169.6	167.2	165.1	171.3	185.6	171.3	170.8	170.9	176.4	178.7	173.7
Maritime Provinces.....	184.1	178.4	177.2	171.3	167.6	168.0	171.0	177.3	177.3	179.7	186.1	178.5	173.6
Quebec.....	170.0	167.7	165.7	163.6	158.0	158.3	162.9	170.9	169.3	170.1	171.1	178.1	164.6
Montreal.....	225.3	225.2	214.6	201.6	189.5	185.5	173.8	173.7	168.3	164.9	167.7	162.8	161.7
Ontario.....	177.7	176.4	174.9	172.1	163.9	166.8	171.2	178.0	179.2	176.8	180.2	178.8	177.2
Toronto.....	185.5	185.7	179.2	177.1	169.0	170.6	172.4	178.0	178.5	180.2	181.1	178.1	175.9
Ottawa.....	156.3	158.5	154.0	152.4	151.7	157.1	167.3	175.1	171.1	173.2	174.1	171.7	167.3
Hamilton.....	177.1	176.2	171.9	170.1	168.6	166.7	169.4	173.2	172.2	169.4	172.1	173.2	173.8
Windsor.....	245.9	260.1	278.4	286.5	178.4	174.4	124.3	194.9	227.0	215.7	231.4	234.5	242.9
Prairie Provinces.....	143.8	140.4	139.4	136.6	134.9	140.4	151.6	157.3	155.2	156.3	160.8	158.8	155.5
Winnipeg.....	139.7	137.5	137.1	135.6	136.7	142.9	148.0	150.6	145.2	146.0	148.2	147.1	146.0
British Columbia.....	172.9	173.1	167.8	169.4	164.1	169.3	174.7	177.0	173.0	167.9	169.3	165.8	136.7
Vancouver.....	223.6	228.2	222.4	219.8	204.5	206.6	209.5	211.0	202.3	192.3	192.4	189.8	175.9

27. OTHER LABOUR FACTORS, VITAL STATISTICS, IMMIGRATION

Classification	1945							1946					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Labour Factors—													
Percentage unemployment in trade unions.....p.c.	0.5				1.4			3.0			1.9		
Employment: ¹													
Applications.....No.	191749	215073	194587	236712	262877	241984	196070	208340	185329	151501	165791	141503	132822
Vacancies.....No.	189732	228990	203349	211149	237505	165536	110273	144401	107408	129339	190000	162771	155144
Placements.....No.	121835	137510	109594	128933	147197	113390	70,547	65,374	50,555	57,078	83,008	73,898	81,702
Strikes and Lockouts:—													
Disputes in existence.....No.	12	28	31	17	16	24	13	12	18	28	24	35	36
Number of employees.....No.	2,773	11,894	13,159	19,754	22,257	31,010	19,619	2,935	3,532	5,976	6,907	47,730	70,688
Time lost in working days.....	4,688	45,273	41,207	185251	191210	441938	261819	20,593	12,406	46,068	47,116	564925	935188
Vital Statistics—													
Births.....	11,913	12,544	11,305	11,259	11,998	10,794	11,127	11,677	10,697	11,539	13,281	13,769	13,479
Deaths.....	4,738	4,722	4,578	4,551	5,019	4,980	5,440	5,867	5,196	5,333	5,125	5,116	4,572
Marriages.....	7,319	6,576	6,478	6,081	5,841	4,614	4,891	3,781	4,089	4,068	4,734	6,041	5,819
Immigration—													
Total.....	2,560	1,315	1,715	1,551	1,320	1,422	1,481	2,794	2,281	7,663	6,339		
Returned Canadians from U.S.....	202	247	282	276	344	197	270	219	230	215	220		

¹ Statistics are given for four or five-week periods. See Labour Gazette for further information.² Cities of 10,000 or over.

VII. Employment—Continued

28. EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS

Geographical and Industrial Unit	Aggregate Weekly Earnings Paid on or About First of Month in \$000											
	1945						1946					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Canada.....	57,462	57,964	57,478	56,530	55,324	55,952	55,962	51,282	54,349	55,249	55,932	55,413
PROVINCES												
Maritime Provinces.....	4,191	4,223	4,154	4,025	3,956	4,061	4,237	3,782	3,865	3,927	4,024	3,900
Prince Edward Island.....	64	70	67	73	68	69	70	65	66	65	69	74
Nova Scotia.....	2,547	2,623	2,554	2,468	2,405	2,452	2,531	2,138	2,245	2,295	2,343	2,286
New Brunswick.....	1,581	1,530	1,533	1,484	1,482	1,540	1,630	1,579	1,555	1,568	1,612	1,540
Quebec.....	17,122	16,771	16,820	16,442	16,176	16,429	16,282	14,600	15,463	16,057	16,082	15,598
Ontario.....	24,166	24,480	24,098	23,449	22,776	22,970	22,900	21,373	23,273	23,332	23,887	23,802
Prairie Provinces.....	6,291	6,558	6,530	6,656	6,649	6,775	6,927	6,569	6,559	6,708	6,655	6,729
Manitoba.....	2,902	2,922	2,975	3,026	3,020	3,107	3,167	2,988	2,986	3,050	3,052	3,059
Saskatchewan.....	1,203	1,269	1,268	1,290	1,285	1,316	1,344	1,269	1,218	1,249	1,222	1,283
Alberta.....	2,186	2,297	2,288	2,340	2,341	2,356	2,416	2,312	2,355	2,400	2,381	2,387
British Columbia.....	5,692	5,931	5,876	5,957	5,767	5,714	5,615	4,957	5,188	5,225	5,304	5,385
CITIES												
Montreal.....	6,781	8,656	8,554	8,400	8,196	8,261	8,239	7,067	7,840	8,060	8,167	8,123
Quebec City.....	1,033	971	965	896	831	808	889	627	639	644	637	647
Toronto.....	8,077	8,232	7,864	7,755	7,474	7,545	7,590	7,024	7,441	7,550	7,732	7,696
Ottawa.....	612	609	596	588	590	603	612	592	607	630	637	635
Hamilton.....	1,881	1,931	1,906	1,805	1,821	1,808	1,849	1,677	1,807	1,811	1,859	1,845
Windsor.....	1,481	1,457	1,428	1,413	892	881	629	855	1,325	1,146	1,478	1,479
Winnipeg.....	1,725	1,751	1,727	1,774	1,762	1,853	1,898	1,767	1,797	1,828	1,834	1,848
Vancouver.....	2,744	2,830	2,857	2,769	2,547	2,533	2,491	2,187	2,297	2,266	2,258	2,278

Average Per Capita Weekly Earnings Paid on or About First of Month

	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
PROVINCES—													
Maritime Provinces.....	30-19	31-00	30-68	30-15	30-18	29-65	29-60	29-05	30-42	31-08	31-34	30-17	30-20
P.E.I.....	25-70	26-45	25-57	26-99	26-76	27-28	27-09	26-35	26-15	26-15	27-37	26-87	26-28
Nova Scotia.....	31-64	32-14	31-54	30-87	30-83	30-15	30-26	28-93	31-01	31-75	32-17	30-83	30-64
New Brunswick.....	28-30	29-43	29-58	29-20	29-35	29-00	28-74	29-32	29-65	30-40	30-43	29-42	29-78
Quebec.....	31-13	30-87	31-02	30-85	30-95	30-75	30-38	28-55	30-58	31-45	31-31	30-74	30-72
Ontario.....	32-63	32-88	32-55	32-49	32-39	32-43	32-03	29-93	32-34	32-41	32-77	32-44	31-88
Prairie Provinces.....	32-07	32-78	31-99	32-67	32-57	32-57	32-55	31-57	32-86	33-59	33-04	32-85	32-75
Manitoba.....	31-94	32-60	31-88	32-54	32-39	32-50	32-35	31-21	32-45	33-22	32-75	32-62	32-66
Saskatchewan.....	30-55	31-32	30-46	31-44	31-34	31-29	31-40	31-06	31-86	32-67	32-13	31-66	31-64
Alberta.....	33-10	33-88	33-04	33-53	33-53	33-40	33-49	32-34	33-95	34-59	33-92	33-72	33-50
British Columbia.....	34-59	35-07	34-78	34-71	35-13	35-07	34-71	32-17	34-72	35-60	35-23	35-11	34-01
CITIES													
Montreal.....	32-23	31-92	32-09	32-00	32-10	32-20	32-02	28-69	31-75	32-10	32-06	31-40	31-55
Quebec City.....	30-80	29-12	29-73	28-22	28-86	29-06	27-10	25-67	27-39	27-64	27-53	27-10	26-95
Toronto.....	32-80	33-09	32-71	32-56	32-54	32-39	32-30	30-67	32-39	32-58	32-64	32-62	32-20
Ottawa.....	28-49	28-42	28-26	28-27	28-47	28-65	27-91	26-46	27-77	28-30	28-13	27-90	28-00
Hamilton.....	33-37	33-11	33-34	32-42	32-82	32-42	32-59	29-96	32-16	32-54	32-73	32-35	31-34
Windsor.....	39-79	39-60	38-74	39-67	39-74	39-39	39-08	34-17	42-12	36-48	41-84	40-66	36-29
Winnipeg.....	29-20	29-71	29-07	29-90	29-53	29-77	29-74	28-19	30-00	30-53	31-37	30-20	30-38
Vancouver.....	33-34	33-66	34-20	33-37	33-61	33-62	33-11	30-46	33-00	33-31	32-74	32-80	32-41

Employment and Payrolls June 1, 1941=100

EIGHT GROUPS—													
Employment.....	114-8	114-9	114-6	113-2	110-5	112-1	113-4	110-2	109-5	109-4	110-6	110-9	111-3
Aggregate payrolls.....	143-3	144-5	143-0	141-1	137-8	139-3	139-5	127-6	135-5	137-3	139-1	137-6	136-4
Per capita earnings.....	32-10	32-32	32-09	32-06	32-08	31-95	31-63	29-92	31-97	32-44	32-48	32-05	31-67
MANUFACTURING—													
Employment.....	124-4	123-2	121-5	118-2	112-1	110-9	109-6	107-1	108-8	108-7	110-1	110-8	109-9
Aggregate payrolls.....	157-2	156-3	152-9	148-0	140-4	139-3	136-7	121-2	135-4	135-3	138-7	137-1	134-3
Per capita earnings.....	32-88	32-94	32-73	32-58	32-54	32-64	32-44	29-49	32-38	32-43	32-82	32-24	31-83

29. INDEX NUMBERS OF EMPLOYMENT IN CITIES 1926=100

Without seasonal adjustment

Cities—													
Montreal.....	175-6	174-1	171-8	169-2	164-5	164-9	165-7	158-8	160-0	161-1	164-0	165-5	169-0
Quebec.....	229-1	227-7	221-7	210-7	196-3	189-6	173-3	167-1	158-9	159-4	162-7	162-8	164-4
Toronto.....	186-4	186-8	180-6	179-8	173-3	174-7	177-7	173-0	174-1	174-8	177-5	177-5	176-8
Ottawa.....	159-1	161-5	158-8	156-7	156-2	159-0	168-0	168-6	165-2	167-0	170-4	171-9	170-8
Hamilton.....	176-7	177-1	173-6	168-9	168-4	169-2	172-6	169-1	170-2	168-9	172-3	172-8	173-0
Windsor.....	270-0	265-9	267-8	258-4	162-9	162-2	123-7	181-3	228-1	226-9	255-7	263-8	268-7
Winnipeg.....	139-4	139-0	140-1	139-9	140-7	146-1	150-4	147-6	141-6	141-2	142-7	144-6	145-7
Vancouver.....	228-1	232-8	231-3	229-7	206-3	207-4	206-3	167-5	182-8	187-1	189-7	191-7	179-4

VII. Employment—Continued

30. EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS

Geographical and Industrial Unit	Number of Employees Reported at First of Month											
	1945						1946					
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Canada—												
PROVINCES—												
Maritime Provinces.	138,850	136,352	135,422	133,004	130,954	136,856	143,172	130,223	127,335	126,299	127,158	129,247
P.E.I.	2,611	2,654	2,636	2,705	2,559	2,838	2,674	2,481	2,519	2,435	2,628	2,756
Nova Scotia.	80,488	81,696	80,969	79,360	78,008	81,319	83,651	73,900	72,391	72,332	72,875	74,144
New Brunswick.	55,840	52,002	51,317	50,939	50,387	53,099	56,947	53,842	52,425	51,532	51,657	52,347
Quebec.	549,939	542,077	542,257	531,694	522,650	534,200	535,992	511,341	505,643	510,725	513,048	507,449
Ontario.	746,588	744,506	737,158	723,963	703,145	708,304	714,850	714,137	719,556	719,635	728,140	733,634
Prairie Provinces.	190,150	200,075	204,164	203,753	204,179	208,114	212,848	208,083	199,620	199,353	201,727	204,524
Manitoba.	90,867	91,786	93,321	92,998	93,249	95,531	97,907	95,780	92,020	91,936	95,246	93,753
Saskatchewan.	39,257	40,475	41,584	41,065	41,101	42,052	42,812	40,841	38,219	38,156	38,282	40,271
Alberta.	66,026	67,814	69,259	69,690	69,829	70,531	72,129	71,492	69,381	69,261	74,199	70,800
British Columbia.	164,556	169,115	168,951	172,207	163,621	162,641	161,773	154,104	149,425	146,971	150,633	153,381
CITIES—												
Montreal.	272,450	269,733	266,589	262,518	255,260	256,080	257,295	246,291	249,940	250,927	254,972	258,676
Quebec City.	33,549	33,345	32,461	30,948	28,780	27,797	25,431	24,420	23,318	23,392	23,458	23,890
Toronto.	246,240	246,847	238,791	237,785	229,672	231,121	234,304	228,955	229,731	232,032	235,923	235,534
Ottawa.	21,117	21,443	21,078	20,801	20,733	21,106	21,920	22,381	21,877	22,170	22,628	22,823
Hamilton.	58,124	53,334	57,164	55,669	55,488	55,770	56,733	55,966	56,189	55,665	56,734	57,028
Windsor.	37,212	36,780	36,902	35,610	22,453	22,357	16,299	25,008	31,432	31,290	35,332	36,384
Winnipeg.	50,058	58,947	59,396	50,350	59,675	62,101	63,825	62,678	59,898	59,763	60,364	61,216
Vancouver.	82,308	84,054	83,539	82,985	75,705	75,148	75,242	71,788	69,859	68,087	68,993	69,469
INDUSTRIES—												
Manufacturing.	109,7081	108,654	107,1857	104,2923	99,730	978,801	966,819	945,076	955,365	956,670	960,764	976,394
Durable Goods.	157,650	156,444	155,341	150,940	146,018	151,631	153,147	143,872	143,831	144,501	144,015	145,576
Non-Durable.	570,586	562,551	560,020	501,217	506,291	476,456	506,768	489,264	495,833	495,494	499,738	499,313
Light and Power.	18,845	19,699	20,496	20,706	20,421	20,714	20,909	20,920	20,881	20,875	21,093	21,640
Logging.	60,700	55,720	55,319	54,767	51,968	53,670	55,573	102,304	103,457	102,179	91,630	68,822
Mining.	68,099	68,975	68,229	67,881	67,631	68,835	70,933	70,268	71,078	72,039	72,564	73,477
Communications.	30,960	31,814	32,644	33,072	33,179	33,510	33,924	34,071	34,179	34,485	35,565	36,361
Transportation.	162,617	163,098	165,107	165,809	164,463	164,651	165,746	161,832	156,248	155,257	157,871	162,348
Construction and Maintenance.	132,102	144,336	152,930	156,691	159,798	165,914	168,852	138,492	130,454	129,147	132,308	147,146
Services.	50,399	52,080	52,737	53,210	52,467	52,705	52,857	51,959	52,744	55,096	54,535	54,999
Trade.	188,114	169,436	189,129	190,268	195,313	201,129	211,998	213,866	198,054	200,110	206,511	203,928
Eight Groups.												
Finance.	66,799	67,117	67,319	67,316	69,372	69,732	69,919	70,148	70,357	72,398	74,322	74,425
Nine Groups.	1854871	1859242	1863271	1831959	1793921	1819947	1835454	1789806	1771936	1775381	1795048	1802566

Number of Persons Signing the Live Unemployment Register during the Last Six Working Days of Specified Months

Province	1945						1946					
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
	A—Total											
PROVINCE—												
P.E.I.	101	125	145	189	276	423	550	699	772	811	518	320
Nova Scotia.	1,679	1,696	2,204	2,452	3,577	4,470	5,985	6,702	7,119	6,092	5,204	4,402
New Brunswick.	242	233	315	482	986	1,564	2,598	2,832	3,291	3,890	2,770	2,123
Quebec.	9,151	13,074	20,111	27,010	36,575	45,462	58,184	62,397	60,640	50,151	36,080	30,523
Ontario.	4,062	7,065	10,122	20,119	27,574	33,871	44,525	53,021	47,905	35,127	32,020	24,340
Manitoba.	1,575	1,985	2,259	2,881	3,810	5,890	7,843	8,398	8,695	7,112	5,009	4,924
Saskatchewan.	584	571	599	585	1,426	2,145	3,230	3,574	3,232	2,571	1,804	1,282
Alberta.	890	917	981	1,383	2,428	3,174	4,355	5,098	4,866	3,690	2,520	1,911
British Columbia.	940	3,114	5,016	6,534	8,522	13,907	18,682	19,256	17,909	14,906	12,935	12,917
Total.	19,224	28,770	48,352	61,565	85,174	113,386	145,962	161,997	154,620	123,950	98,810	82,382
B—Male												
P.E.I.	70	91	118	156	199	320	462	593	665	685	425	229
Nova Scotia.	1,175	1,230	1,744	1,969	3,009	3,942	5,180	5,852	6,186	5,219	4,316	3,779
New Brunswick.	169	167	236	389	751	1,330	2,181	2,435	2,871	3,345	2,463	1,828
Quebec.	5,221	8,560	14,940	20,320	28,994	40,307	48,168	51,788	49,072	39,483	26,730	22,243
Ontario.	1,621	3,008	6,505	12,302	18,505	24,788	34,146	41,777	36,429	24,757	22,080	16,154
Manitoba.	867	1,238	1,456	1,766	2,997	4,276	5,684	6,135	6,459	5,279	3,969	3,372
Saskatchewan.	329	339	326	1,119	1,656	2,601	2,784	2,794	2,580	1,785	1,203	989
Alberta.	662	705	740	984	2,007	2,757	3,544	4,069	3,930	2,833	1,810	1,428
British Columbia.	691	2,277	3,707	5,199	6,930	11,762	14,718	14,708	14,077	11,498	10,540	10,188
Total.	10,737	17,596	32,772	43,683	64,592	91,138	116,504	130,061	122,506	94,979	74,130	60,210
C—Female												
P.E.I.	31	34	27	33	77	103	88	106	107	126	93	91
Nova Scotia.	504	476	460	483	568	528	805	850	933	873	888	723
New Brunswick.	73	66	79	93	235	234	417	417	420	545	317	295
Quebec.	3,930	4,514	5,771	6,690	7,581	8,155	9,996	10,639	11,568	10,668	9,300	8,280
Ontario.	2,541	4,047	6,617	7,817	8,979	9,083	10,379	11,244	11,476	10,370	9,334	8,186
Manitoba.	682	747	803	815	813	1,004	2,159	2,263	2,236	1,833	1,040	1,552
Saskatchewan.	243	241	273	263	316	489	829	840	806	681	608	533
Alberta.	228	212	241	399	421	417	611	1,029	926	857	710	453
British Columbia.	249	837	1,309	1,535	1,592	2,255	3,964	4,546	3,832	3,018	2,395	2,029
Total.	8,487	11,174	15,580	17,927	20,582	22,249	29,448	31,936	32,314	28,971	24,680	22,172

VII. Employment—Continued

31. PER CAPITA WEEKLY EARNINGS AT FIRST OF MONTH IN DOLLARS

Classification	1945							1946						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
Nine Groups.....	32-16	32-39	32-29	32-09	32-16	32-05	31-74	30-02	32-63	32-54	32-59	32-16	31-09	
MANUFACTURING.....	32-89	32-98	32-83	32-55	32-54	32-65	32-45	29-49	32-43	32-43	32-82	32-24	31-83	
Durable goods.....	35-76	36-02	35-67	35-38	34-93	35-60	35-17	31-28	35-21	34-91	35-34	34-51	33-78	
Non-durable goods.....	29-48	29-33	29-33	29-58	29-91	29-84	29-85	27-37	29-64	29-99	30-30	29-89	29-81	
Animal products—edible.....	30-40	30-53	30-16	30-75	31-50	32-00	32-29	29-79	31-13	32-04	32-82	31-97	32-14	
Fur and products.....	29-51	28-68	28-40	29-32	29-65	30-74	31-69	28-45	29-67	30-15	30-45	28-64	29-67	
Leather products.....	34-28	32-92	24-03	24-36	24-75	25-00	25-12	22-52	24-86	25-07	25-51	24-91	24-53	
Boots and shoes.....	23-80	22-95	23-25	23-62	23-93	24-23	24-42	21-77	24-20	24-32	24-85	24-11	23-75	
Lumber and its products.....	27-69	27-95	28-10	28-08	28-63	28-70	28-59	25-25	28-49	29-23	28-97	28-57	26-88	
Rough and dressed lumber.....	28-15	28-58	28-90	28-86	29-32	29-43	29-33	26-41	29-53	30-39	29-87	29-32	26-85	
Furniture.....	26-71	26-67	26-88	27-11	27-66	27-72	27-76	24-50	27-29	27-71	27-95	27-63	27-09	
Plant products—edible.....	26-84	27-09	26-39	26-38	26-22	27-22	27-61	26-90	28-01	28-07	28-37	28-25	28-20	
Pulp and paper products.....	33-71	33-72	34-11	34-35	34-61	34-68	34-49	32-39	34-72	35-04	35-29	34-76	35-01	
Pulp and paper.....	36-89	36-78	37-82	37-92	38-21	38-07	37-80	35-81	38-38	38-78	38-89	37-93	38-95	
Paper products.....	27-09	26-68	26-70	27-06	27-55	28-19	28-12	25-46	27-62	28-16	28-34	28-25	28-11	
Printing and publishing.....	33-30	33-83	33-33	33-67	33-95	34-06	34-03	32-07	34-28	34-32	34-70	34-39	33-80	
Rubber products.....	32-57	32-26	31-93	32-93	33-00	32-90	33-07	28-81	32-35	32-12	32-80	32-46	31-28	
Textile products.....	23-94	23-62	23-67	24-10	24-56	24-71	24-64	21-68	24-47	24-90	25-33	24-74	24-45	
Hosiery and knit goods.....	21-34	20-81	21-14	21-38	21-98	22-06	22-16	19-36	21-53	22-15	22-83	22-41	21-68	
Garments and personal furnishings.....	24-11	23-74	23-60	24-32	24-79	24-80	24-68	21-69	24-51	25-13	25-80	24-92	24-50	
Tobacco.....	25-09	23-44	25-19	25-72	25-56	25-79	24-99	18-33	24-92	23-91	24-39	25-66	26-09	
Beverages.....	35-43	34-77	35-40	35-24	34-41	34-46	35-31	34-54	34-06	35-06	34-58	35-38	34-99	
Chemicals.....	34-37	34-70	35-07	35-08	34-79	34-49	34-53	33-48	34-89	34-84	34-94	34-42	34-42	
Electrical apparatus.....	33-67	33-53	33-64	33-06	33-76	34-27	33-73	31-41	32-97	33-26	33-66	32-44	32-43	
Iron and steel products.....	37-71	38-14	37-84	37-15	37-67	37-68	37-13	32-58	37-37	36-69	37-36	36-42	35-47	
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	37-12	36-93	38-62	37-27	37-57	37-36	36-90	32-64	37-18	37-22	37-41	36-65	36-90	
Machinery (other than vehicles).....	35-71	36-18	35-48	35-48	36-45	36-42	36-65	30-62	35-76	35-84	35-77	34-53	33-78	
Land vehicles and aircraft.....	38-61	39-56	38-47	38-29	38-67	38-91	38-43	34-77	40-04	38-24	39-70	38-66	37-32	
Automobiles and parts.....	40-10	40-22	39-10	39-29	39-62	39-62	38-39	33-66	41-87	36-15	41-79	40-18	36-19	
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	40-38	39-82	40-21	37-59	39-66	40-36	39-18	33-11	38-73	38-45	38-73	36-99	36-09	
Non-ferrous metal products.....	34-89	35-84	35-47	35-50	35-80	35-87	35-92	33-08	38-65	35-38	35-58	35-02	34-48	
Non-metallic mineral products.....	39-07	38-86	38-78	39-01	38-75	38-49	38-43	37-16	38-31	38-41	38-68	38-35	38-07	
Electric light and power.....	36-93	36-83	36-80	36-81	37-14	36-92	37-80	37-07	38-61	38-30	38-88	38-77	38-68	
LOGGING.....	26-73	27-57	27-07	27-47	27-48	26-22	25-26	27-37	28-12	29-20	28-69	27-95	24-87	
MINING.....	38-00	39-31	38-93	38-25	39-05	38-68	39-02	36-67	39-39	39-67	39-59	38-69	38-77	
COMMUNICATIONS.....	31-58	31-11	31-16	31-75	31-64	32-20	31-82	32-55	32-31	32-94	32-52	33-21	32-70	
Telegraphs.....	31-85	31-47	31-50	31-71	31-66	30-80	30-01	30-88	31-81	32-85	32-25	33-29	32-53	
Telephones.....	31-49	31-00	31-05	31-76	31-63	32-64	32-40	32-82	32-46	32-96	32-58	33-20	32-74	
TRANSPORTATION.....	38-32	38-68	38-36	38-59	39-12	38-71	38-72	29-01	39-26	40-82	39-74	39-21	38-66	
Street railways and cartage.....	34-36	34-44	34-45	34-55	34-35	34-58	34-62	33-93	34-73	34-93	34-44	34-41	34-44	
Steam railways.....	42-32	43-26	42-49	42-88	43-46	42-57	42-82	42-69	43-58	45-90	44-64	44-36	43-03	
Shipping and stevedoring.....	32-17	31-29	31-71	31-18	32-83	33-10	33-27	29-79	30-94	32-66	31-78	31-12	32-39	
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	29-80	30-49	29-91	30-63	30-60	30-78	30-29	28-84	31-22	32-03	31-45	30-84	30-89	
Building.....	34-12	33-80	34-30	34-14	34-74	35-05	34-64	29-37	33-84	34-59	34-56	33-40	32-69	
Highway.....	26-87	28-19	28-50	28-22	28-52	27-70	26-82	27-48	29-16	30-04	29-19	27-85	28-89	
Railway.....	29-33	30-29	27-41	29-69	28-43	29-49	29-52	29-69	29-60	30-49	29-43	31-26	31-37	
SERVICES.....	19-61	19-69	19-68	19-78	20-16	20-21	20-37	19-80	20-39	21-04	20-88	20-97	20-70	
Hotels and restaurants.....	18-70	18-74	18-53	18-64	19-16	19-02	19-26	19-25	19-51	20-31	19-78	19-96	19-78	
Personal (chiefly laundries).....	21-34	21-58	22-01	22-09	22-06	22-40	22-45	20-44	22-01	22-39	22-84	22-77	22-41	
TRADE.....	26-79	27-20	27-35	27-27	27-36	27-27	26-78	26-76	27-92	28-23	28-18	28-24	29-76	
Retail.....	24-55	25-01	25-19	25-14	25-14	25-04	24-49	24-60	25-78	26-08	26-01	26-07	26-18	
Wholesale.....	32-92	33-17	33-08	32-84	33-30	33-36	33-40	33-11	33-83	33-86	33-94	34-07	34-07	
EIGHT GROUPS.....	32-10	32-34	32-15	32-04	32-08	31-97	31-64	29-85	31-94	32-44	32-48	32-06	31-17	
FINANCE.....	33-65	33-70	33-54	33-53	34-08	34-14	34-13	34-14	34-27	34-81	34-54	34-69	34-77	
Banks and trust companies.....	29-63	29-68	29-65	29-60	29-62	29-60	29-59	29-68	29-72	30-85	30-86	30-83	30-80	
Brokerage and stock market.....	37-47	37-48	35-13	35-62	37-67	38-36	39-04	37-18	39-75	39-21	38-08	38-66	40-30	
Insurance.....	39-29	39-31	39-15	39-13	40-27	40-37	40-27	40-32	40-25	40-31	39-44	39-79	39-83	

VII. Employment—Concluded

32. AGGREGATE WEEKLY PAYROLL AT FIRST OF MONTH
IN THOUSANDS DOLLARS

Classification	1945							1946						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
Nine Groups.....	59,710	60,226	59,736	58,787	57,688	58,332	58,349	53,677	56,760	57,770	58,500	57,995	57,464	
MANUFACTURING.....	36,078	35,838	35,185	33,945	32,207	31,956	31,829	27,807	30,931	31,029	31,823	31,477	30,825	
Durable goods.....	20,408	20,377	19,766	18,357	18,402	16,835	15,447	13,601	15,449	15,378	15,870	15,718	14,985	
Non-durable goods.....	14,974	14,736	14,666	14,824	15,046	14,356	15,128	13,491	14,701	14,860	15,135	14,926	14,976	
Animal products, edible.....	1,355	1,398	1,378	1,469	1,514	1,568	1,607	1,396	1,401	1,367	1,403	1,398	1,454	
Fur and products.....	99	98	95	99	104	108	115	104	109	110	119	116	120	
Leather and products.....	707	694	698	718	733	759	773	668	770	794	826	809	796	
Boots and shoes.....	409	409	414	427	436	450	459	400	458	468	487	477	471	
Lumber and its products.....	1,877	1,970	1,990	1,998	1,967	1,959	1,887	1,598	1,816	1,893	1,936	1,960	1,519	
Rough and dressed lumber.....	1,048	1,124	1,136	1,152	1,119	1,096	1,030	878	984	1,033	1,058	1,083	716	
Furniture.....	317	322	328	334	350	363	369	323	364	380	386	380	371	
Plant products—edible.....	1,373	1,424	1,529	1,539	1,771	1,656	1,628	1,431	1,492	1,455	1,480	1,477	1,491	
Pulp and paper products.....	2,980	3,061	3,119	3,184	3,204	3,246	3,261	3,037	3,308	3,367	3,428	3,422	3,301	
Pulp and paper.....	1,439	1,468	1,551	1,567	1,567	1,551	1,532	1,433	1,553	1,591	1,627	1,630	1,722	
Paper products.....	453	457	456	470	456	508	520	461	513	521	526	524	524	
Printing and publishing.....	1,068	1,117	1,112	1,128	1,151	1,188	1,210	1,143	1,242	1,255	1,275	1,267	1,254	
Rubber products.....	744	736	730	739	721	730	742	644	751	778	780	766	735	
Textile products.....	3,293	3,236	3,186	3,281	3,405	3,477	3,499	2,974	3,471	3,608	3,699	3,582	3,507	
Hosiery and knit goods.....	471	463	463	472	496	512	527	444	503	539	557	542	524	
Garments and personal furnishings.....	1,208	1,180	1,128	1,200	1,260	1,269	1,251	1,022	1,217	1,272	1,324	1,271	1,245	
Tobacco.....	257	237	236	259	267	279	300	224	301	274	259	244	248	
Beverages.....	506	514	525	539	543	559	551	545	538	537	544	563	562	
Chemicals.....	2,415	2,082	1,941	1,757	1,632	1,570	1,530	1,428	1,452	1,450	1,460	1,418	1,432	
Electrical apparatus.....	1,424	1,438	1,414	1,362	1,328	1,348	1,363	1,265	1,369	1,401	1,399	1,388	1,394	
Iron and steel products.....	14,751	14,689	14,129	12,875	11,066	10,738	10,151	8,904	10,273	10,078	10,461	10,301	10,033	
Crude rolled and forged products.....	1,259	1,238	1,283	1,220	1,184	1,159	1,128	985	1,270	1,272	1,285	1,273	1,279	
Machinery (other than vehicles).....	821	835	814	818	821	845	868	729	856	886	896	866	856	
Land vehicles and aircraft.....	6,142	6,125	5,762	5,163	3,962	3,819	3,533	3,447	4,014	3,902	4,114	4,159	4,037	
Automobiles and parts.....	1,670	1,671	1,596	1,585	1,016	1,000	769	940	1,346	1,131	1,439	1,550	1,435	
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	2,829	2,831	2,473	2,037	1,763	1,713	1,437	1,030	1,126	1,051	1,072	999	965	
Non-ferrous metal products.....	1,845	1,757	1,695	1,584	1,496	1,489	1,477	1,320	1,419	1,428	1,473	1,456	1,423	
Non-metallic mineral products.....	643	662	664	664	641	633	629	604	626	630	640	636	653	
Electric light and power.....	696	724	754	764	789	765	795	776	781	792	818	833	804	
Logging.....	1,622	1,537	1,498	1,505	1,703	2,194	2,465	2,797	2,702	2,983	2,627	1,936	1,463	
MINING.....	2,588	2,711	2,656	2,616	2,641	2,663	2,768	2,870	2,800	2,858	2,872	2,821	2,878	
COMMUNICATIONS.....	978	990	1,017	1,050	1,050	1,079	1,080	1,103	1,104	1,139	1,156	1,207	1,239	
Telegraphs.....	232	236	241	246	248	245	241	244	248	256	250	257	258	
Telephones.....	744	751	774	801	799	831	836	856	853	879	902	946	976	
TRANSPORTATION.....	6,232	6,308	6,337	6,368	6,433	6,374	6,418	6,205	6,134	6,338	6,296	6,380	6,272	
Street railways and cartage.....	1,658	1,696	1,721	1,738	1,738	1,780	1,791	1,725	1,777	1,785	1,785	1,825	1,864	
Steam railways.....	3,729	3,793	3,804	3,879	3,911	3,810	3,843	3,882	3,813	3,992	3,906	3,848	3,665	
Shipping and stevedoring.....	845	818	813	789	784	784	783	597	544	561	605	707	744	
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	3,937	4,402	4,574	4,776	4,889	5,137	5,110	3,905	4,073	4,136	4,200	4,538	5,172	
Building.....	1,368	1,470	1,561	1,664	1,875	2,080	2,077	1,566	1,828	1,822	1,903	1,956	2,090	
Highway.....	1,411	1,649	1,783	1,781	1,771	1,778	1,803	1,244	1,149	1,144	1,157	1,533	1,923	
Railway.....	1,158	1,282	1,229	1,331	1,243	1,278	1,232	1,165	1,096	1,170	1,110	1,048	1,159	
SERVICES.....	988	1,026	1,039	1,053	1,058	1,065	1,078	1,022	1,075	1,117	1,138	1,113	1,166	
Hotels and restaurants.....	619	649	654	664	660	651	662	654	667	700	690	706	724	
Personal (chiefly laundries).....	369	376	383	389	398	415	416	367	408	417	445	448	441	
TRADE.....	5,039	5,153	5,173	5,188	5,343	5,485	5,676	5,724	5,529	5,649	5,820	5,901	5,955	
Retail.....	3,384	3,463	3,462	3,465	3,577	3,686	3,851	3,924	3,695	3,775	3,903	3,969	3,968	
Wholesale.....	1,654	1,690	1,711	1,723	1,766	1,798	1,824	1,799	1,834	1,874	1,917	1,932	1,989	
EIGHT GROUPS.....	57,462	57,964	57,478	56,530	55,324	55,962	55,962	51,282	54,349	55,249	55,932	55,413	54,909	
FINANCE.....	2,248	2,262	2,258	2,257	2,364	2,381	2,387	2,395	2,411	2,521	2,568	2,582	2,595	
Banks and trust companies.....	1,144	1,147	1,149	1,145	1,178	1,180	1,181	1,185	1,187	1,287	1,291	1,296	1,295	
Brokerage and stock market.....	83	89	84	84	89	95	102	100	112	118	118	118	126	
Insurance.....	1,021	1,027	1,026	1,028	1,097	1,105	1,104	1,110	1,112	1,116	1,159	1,169	1,174	

VII. EMPLOYMENT—Continued

TABLE 33.—PERCENTAGES OF EMPLOYMENT IN EIGHT LEADING INDUSTRIAL AND SERVICE GROUPS¹

Percentages given for years from 1929 to 1946 are as of June 1

Year and Month	Manu- fac- turing	Log- ging	Mining	Com- muni- cations	Trans- porta- tion	Build- ing Con- struc- tion	High- way Con- struc- tion	Rail- way Main- tenance	Ser- vices	Retail Trade	Whole- sale Trade	Num- ber of Em- ployees All Indus- tries (000)
1929.....	55.0	2.2	4.8	2.8	12.4	4.9	2.1	5.8	2.1	5.6	2.3	1,047
1933.....	53.4	1.5	5.6	2.9	12.5	1.8	5.2	3.6	2.8	7.8	2.9	743
1938.....	53.5	2.5	6.6	2.1	9.6	2.1	8.0	2.7	2.6	7.5	2.8	1,072
1939.....	51.9	2.6	6.8	2.0	9.5	2.1	7.9	2.7	2.8	8.9	2.8	1,100
1940.....	56.1	2.6	6.6	1.9	9.3	2.5	4.1	2.7	2.7	8.6	2.9	1,183
1941.....	57.1	3.1	5.4	1.7	8.1	4.1	4.7	2.8	2.5	8.0	2.5	1,520
1942.....	62.4	2.9	4.7	1.6	7.8	3.5	3.1	2.4	2.4	7.0	2.2	1,718
1943.....	64.4	2.4	4.0	1.5	8.0	3.8	2.9	2.1	2.3	6.5	2.1	1,818
1944.....	64.1	2.9	3.9	1.6	8.5	2.0	2.9	2.1	2.5	7.1	2.4	1,821
1945.....	61.3	3.4	3.8	1.7	9.1	2.3	2.9	2.2	2.8	7.7	2.8	1,790
1946.....	55.8	3.4	4.3	2.2	9.3	3.7	3.8	2.1	3.3	8.8	3.3	1,735
1944												
Jan. 1.....	63.3	4.2	3.9	1.5	8.0	2.7	2.5	1.9	2.3	7.5	2.2	1,869
Feb. 1.....	64.5	4.4	4.0	1.5	7.8	2.3	1.9	2.0	2.4	6.9	2.3	1,843
Mar. 1.....	64.7	4.4	4.1	1.5	8.0	2.2	1.8	1.9	2.4	6.7	2.3	1,831
April 1.....	64.8	4.0	4.1	1.5	8.1	2.0	1.7	2.0	2.5	7.0	2.3	1,818
May 1.....	65.0	2.7	4.1	1.6	8.5	2.0	2.2	1.9	2.5	7.1	2.4	1,796
June 1.....	64.1	2.9	3.9	1.6	8.5	2.0	2.9	2.1	2.5	7.1	2.4	1,821
July 1.....	63.8	2.8	3.9	1.6	8.5	2.1	3.2	2.2	2.6	6.9	2.4	1,854
Aug. 1.....	63.2	2.5	3.9	1.6	8.5	2.2	3.9	2.3	2.6	6.9	2.4	1,865
Sept. 1.....	63.0	2.5	3.8	1.6	8.5	2.3	4.2	2.3	2.5	6.9	2.4	1,883
Oct. 1.....	63.0	2.9	3.8	1.6	8.6	2.3	3.2	2.3	2.6	7.2	2.5	1,862
Nov. 1.....	62.1	3.9	3.7	1.6	8.6	2.4	3.1	2.2	2.5	7.4	2.5	1,868
Dec. 1.....	61.1	4.8	3.7	1.6	8.5	2.3	3.0	2.1	2.5	7.9	2.5	1,888
1945												
Jan. 1.....	60.8	5.1	3.8	1.6	8.6	2.1	2.5	2.2	2.5	8.2	2.6	1,834
Feb. 1.....	61.9	5.2	3.9	1.6	8.4	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.6	7.5	2.6	1,821
Mar. 1.....	62.0	5.1	3.9	1.6	8.4	2.0	1.8	2.5	2.7	7.3	2.7	1,814
April 1.....	61.9	4.5	3.9	1.7	8.7	2.0	1.9	2.2	2.8	7.7	2.7	1,803
May 1.....	61.7	3.5	3.8	1.7	9.0	2.1	2.9	2.0	2.8	7.7	2.8	1,790
June 1.....	61.3	3.4	3.8	1.7	9.1	2.3	2.9	2.2	2.8	7.7	2.8	1,790
July 1.....	60.6	3.1	3.9	1.8	9.1	2.4	3.3	2.3	2.9	7.7	2.9	1,792
Aug. 1.....	59.9	3.1	3.8	1.8	9.2	2.6	3.5	2.5	3.0	7.7	2.9	1,788
Sept. 1.....	59.1	3.1	3.9	1.8	9.4	2.8	3.6	2.5	3.0	7.8	3.0	1,765
Oct. 1.....	57.4	3.6	3.9	1.9	9.5	3.1	3.6	2.6	3.1	8.2	3.1	1,725
Nov. 1.....	55.9	4.8	3.9	1.9	9.4	2.4	3.7	2.5	3.0	8.4	3.1	1,750
Dec. 1.....	54.7	5.5	4.0	1.9	9.4	3.4	3.8	2.4	3.0	8.9	3.1	1,769
1946												
Jan. 1.....	55.0	5.9	4.1	2.0	9.4	3.2	2.6	2.3	3.0	9.3	3.2	1,718
Feb. 1.....	56.1	6.1	4.2	2.0	9.2	3.2	2.3	2.2	3.1	8.4	3.2	1,702
Mar. 1.....	56.2	6.0	4.2	2.0	9.1	3.1	2.2	2.3	3.1	8.5	3.3	1,703
April 1.....	56.4	5.3	4.2	2.0	9.2	3.2	2.3	2.2	3.2	8.7	3.3	1,721
May 1.....	56.5	4.0	4.2	2.1	9.4	3.4	3.2	1.9	3.2	8.8	3.3	1,729
June 1.....	55.8	3.4	4.3	2.2	9.3	3.7	3.8	2.1	3.3	8.8	3.3	1,735

¹ Percentage of all employees reported monthly by co-operating firms with 15 hands or more.

SOURCE: The Employment Situation, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

VII. EMPLOYMENT—Continued

TABLE 34.—PERCENTAGE OF EMPLOYMENT IN VARIOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES¹

Percentages given for years 1929 to 1946 are as of June 1

Year and Month	Manu- fac- turing	Animal Products Edible	Lea- ther Pro- ducts	Lum- ber Pro- ducts	Pulp and Paper Pro- ducts	Tex- tile Pro- ducts	Vege- table Pro- ducts	Chem- icals	Elect- rical Appa- ratus	Iron and Steel	Non- Fer- rous Metals	Clay, Glass and Stone
1929.....	55.0	1.8	1.5	5.9	6.4	7.9	6.2	.7	1.3	16.4	2.0	1.2
1932.....	53.4	2.7	2.5	3.9	6.9	10.6	6.7	1.1	1.2	10.9	1.7	.8
1938.....	53.5	2.4	2.0	4.3	6.0	9.7	6.0	1.7	1.7	12.8	2.3	1.0
1939.....	51.9	2.5	2.1	4.3	6.1	9.4	5.8	1.7	1.6	11.7	2.2	1.0
1940.....	56.1	2.5	2.0	4.4	6.2	10.6	5.8	1.9	1.7	14.0	2.4	1.0
1941.....	57.1	2.2	1.8	4.3	5.2	9.1	5.1	2.6	1.9	18.1	2.4	1.0
1942.....	62.4	2.0	1.6	3.7	4.8	8.6	4.9	5.3	2.1	22.4	3.0	.9
1943.....	64.4	2.0	1.6	3.5	4.4	7.8	4.5	5.1	2.3	25.8	3.4	.8
1944.....	64.1	2.5	1.6	3.6	4.6	7.5	5.1	4.1	2.7	24.8	3.6	.8
1945.....	61.3	2.5	1.6	3.8	4.9	7.7	5.5	3.9	2.4	21.9	3.0	.9
1946.....	55.8	2.6	1.9	3.2	5.7	8.3	5.8	2.4	2.5	16.3	2.4	1.1
1944												
Jan. 1.....	63.3	2.2	1.5	3.3	4.4	7.1	4.9	4.2	2.5	25.3	3.9	.8
Feb. 1.....	64.5	2.3	1.5	3.3	4.5	7.4	5.1	4.3	2.5	25.6	3.9	.9
Mar. 1.....	64.7	2.3	1.6	3.4	4.5	7.6	5.2	4.2	2.6	25.6	3.8	.8
April 1.....	64.8	2.3	1.6	3.4	4.6	7.7	5.1	4.1	2.6	25.7	3.7	.9
May 1.....	65.0	2.4	1.6	3.5	4.6	7.7	5.1	4.1	2.7	25.4	3.7	.9
June 1.....	64.1	2.5	1.6	3.6	4.6	7.5	5.1	4.1	2.7	24.8	3.6	.8
July 1.....	63.8	2.6	1.5	3.7	4.6	7.3	5.3	4.1	2.6	24.5	3.5	.9
Aug. 1.....	63.2	2.6	1.5	3.8	4.7	7.1	5.4	4.2	2.6	23.9	3.3	.9
Sept. 1.....	63.0	2.5	1.5	3.8	4.6	7.1	5.9	4.2	2.6	23.6	3.2	.8
Oct. 1.....	63.0	2.5	1.5	3.7	4.6	7.2	6.3	4.2	2.5	23.4	3.1	.8
Nov. 1.....	62.1	2.5	1.5	3.6	4.6	7.3	6.0	4.2	2.5	22.9	3.0	.8
Dec. 1.....	61.1	2.5	1.5	3.5	4.6	7.3	5.8	4.2	2.5	22.4	3.0	.8
1945												
Jan. 1.....	60.8	2.5	1.5	3.4	4.6	7.2	5.6	4.2	2.5	22.3	3.0	.8
Feb. 1.....	61.9	2.5	1.6	3.5	4.7	7.6	5.8	4.3	2.5	22.5	3.0	.8
Mar. 1.....	62.0	2.4	1.6	3.5	4.8	7.7	5.7	4.3	2.4	22.6	3.0	.8
April 1.....	61.9	2.3	1.6	3.6	4.7	7.8	5.7	4.2	2.4	22.5	3.1	.8
May 1.....	61.7	2.4	1.6	3.6	4.8	7.7	5.6	4.1	2.4	22.2	3.1	.9
June 1.....	61.3	2.5	1.6	3.8	4.9	7.7	5.5	3.9	2.4	21.9	3.0	.9
July 1.....	60.6	2.6	1.6	3.9	5.1	7.6	5.6	3.3	2.4	21.5	2.7	.9
Aug. 1.....	59.9	2.6	1.6	4.0	5.1	7.5	5.8	3.1	2.4	20.9	2.7	.9
Sept. 1.....	59.1	2.7	1.7	4.0	5.3	7.7	6.1	2.8	2.3	19.6	2.5	.9
Oct. 1.....	57.4	2.8	1.7	4.0	5.4	8.0	6.7	2.7	2.3	17.0	2.4	1.0
Nov. 1.....	55.9	2.8	1.7	3.9	5.3	8.0	6.3	2.6	2.2	16.3	2.4	1.0
Dec. 1.....	54.7	2.8	1.7	3.7	5.4	8.0	6.2	2.5	2.3	15.5	2.3	1.0
1946												
Jan. 1.....	55.0	2.7	1.7	3.7	5.5	8.0	6.0	2.5	2.4	15.9	2.3	1.0
Feb. 1.....	56.1	2.6	1.8	3.7	5.6	8.4	6.1	2.4	2.5	16.2	2.3	1.0
Mar. 1.....	55.2	2.5	1.9	3.8	5.6	8.5	6.0	2.4	2.5	16.1	2.4	1.0
April 1.....	56.4	2.5	1.9	3.9	5.6	8.5	5.9	2.4	2.4	16.3	2.4	1.1
May 1.....	56.5	2.5	1.9	4.0	5.7	8.4	5.8	2.4	2.5	16.4	2.4	1.1
June 1.....	55.8	2.6	1.9	3.2	5.7	8.3	5.8	2.4	2.5	16.3	2.4	1.1

¹ Percentage of all employees reported monthly by co-operating firms with 15 hands or more.

Source: The Employment Situation, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

VII EMPLOYMENT—Concluded

TABLE 35—AVERAGE HOURS WORKED AND AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS OF HOURLY-RATED WAGE-EARNERS IN MANUFACTURING AS A WHOLE AND IN THE MANUFACTURE OF DURABLE GOODS AND OF NON-DURABLE GOODS.

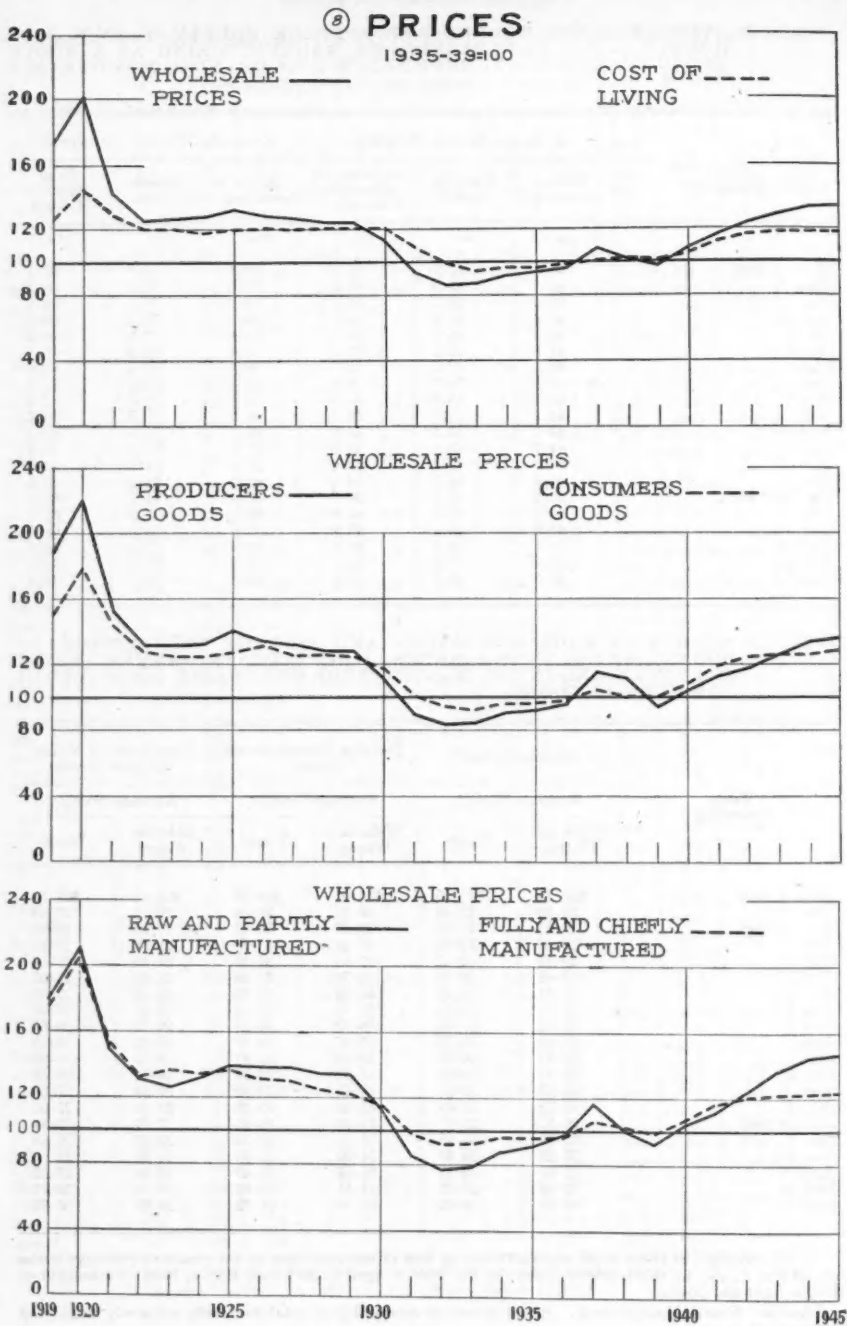
Week Preceding	AVERAGE HOURS WORKED			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS		
	Manu- facturing	Durable Goods	Non- durable Goods	Manu- facturing	Durable Goods	Non- durable Goods
	no.	no.	no.	cts.	cts.	cts.
Nov. 1, 1944.....	46-3	47-0	45-3	70-3	77-7	60-1
Dec. 1.....	46-3	46-9	45-5	70-5	77-9	60-4
Jan. 1, 1945.....	39-6	39-7	39-5	70-0	77-1	60-9
Feb. 1 ^a	45-4	46-0	44-7	70-1	77-8	60-3
Mar. 1.....	45-8	46-5	45-0	70-1	77-8	60-3
April 1 ^a	43-6	44-2	42-7	70-4	78-0	60-9
May 1.....	45-5	46-2	44-5	70-5	78-2	60-9
June 1.....	44-3	44-7	43-9	70-3	77-5	61-4
July 1.....	44-3	45-0	43-3	70-1	77-0	61-2
Aug. 1.....	44-3	44-7	43-7	69-5	76-9	60-7
Sept. 1.....	44-1	44-2	44-0	69-2	76-5	60-9
Oct. 1.....	44-7	45-0	44-5	67-8	75-4	60-4
Nov. 1.....	44-9	45-3	44-6	67-5	74-8	60-6
Dec. 1.....	44-8	44-9	44-6	67-0	74-0	60-6
Jan. 1, 1946.....	38-1	37-5	38-7	67-9	74-7	61-7
Feb.....	44-1	44-4	43-8	68-1	75-2	61-3
Mar. 1.....	44-0	44-2	43-9	67-9	74-5	61-5
April 1.....	44-4	44-6	44-2	68-4	75-1	61-8
May 1 ^a	43-0	43-2	42-8	68-9	75-5	62-4
June 1.....	42-0	42-1	42-0	69-1	75-1	63-3

AVERAGE WEEKLY SALARIES AND WAGES, AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES OF HOURLY RATED WAGE-EARNERS AS REPORTED IN MANUFACTURING AS A WHOLE, AND IN THE MANUFACTURE OF DURABLE GOODS AND OF NON-DURABLE GOODS.

Week Preceding	Manufacturing ^b		Durable Manufactured Goods		Non-Durable Manu- factured Goods	
	Average Weekly		Average Weekly		Average Weekly	
	Salaries Wages	Wages	Salaries Wages	Wages	Salaries Wages	Wages
Nov. 1, 1944.....	\$33-13	\$32-55	\$36-67	\$36-52	\$28-99	\$27-23
Dec. 1.....	33-29	32-64	36-83	36-54	29-23	27-48
Jan. 1, 1945.....	30-11	27-72	32-77	30-61	27-05	24-06
Feb. 1.....	32-98	31-83	36-44	35-79	29-06	26-95
Mar. 1.....	33-50	32-11	37-04	36-18	29-46	27-14
April 1 ^a	32-48	30-69	35-78	34-48	28-73	26-07
May 1.....	33-51	32-08	36-98	36-08	29-58	27-10
June 1.....	32-81	31-14	35-76	34-64	29-48	26-95
July 1.....	32-91	31-05	36-02	34-65	29-33	26-50
Aug.....	32-65	30-79	35-67	34-37	29-33	26-53
Sept.....	32-51	30-52	35-58	33-81	29-60	26-80
Oct. 1.....	32-45	30-31	35-57	33-93	29-61	26-88
Nov. 1.....	32-55	30-31	35-60	33-88	29-84	27-03
Dec. 1.....	32-32	30-02	35-20	33-23	29-83	27-03
Jan. 1, 1946.....	29-32	25-87	31-30	28-01	27-57	23-88
Feb. 1.....	32-29	30-03	35-23	33-39	29-69	26-85
Mar. 1.....	32-29	29-88	34-90	32-93	29-98	27-00
April 1.....	32-69	30-37	35-54	33-49	30-30	27-32
May 1 ^a	32-10	29-63	34-51	32-62	29-89	26-71
June 1.....	31-67	29-02	33-78	31-62	29-81	26-59

^a The averages at these dates were affected by loss of working time at the year-end holidays in the case of Jan. 1, and by the Easter holidays in the case of April 1, 1945, and May 1, 1946. ^b Exclusive of electric light and power.

Source: Employment Branch. Based on returns received from establishments ordinarily employing 15 persons or more.



VIII. Prices

36. INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF LIVING 1935-39=100

Classification	1945						1946						
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Cost of Living—													
TOTAL.....	129.3	129.3	119.9	119.7	119.9	120.1	119.9	119.9	120.1	120.8	122.6	123.6	125.1
Food.....	135.6	136.2	134.2	133.3	134.0	134.3	132.8	132.5	133.1	135.1	137.7	142.1	144.2
Fuel.....	106.5	106.5	106.7	106.7	106.6	107.1	107.1	107.1	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2	107.2
Rent.....	112.1	112.1	112.1	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.3	112.6	112.6	112.6
Clothing.....	122.2	122.1	122.2	122.4	122.5	122.5	122.6	122.7	123.1	123.2	123.7	124.3	126.4
Sundries.....	109.4	109.5	109.5	109.6	109.6	109.6	110.9	110.9	110.9	111.0	111.5	112.1	113.7

37. WHOLESALE PRICES INDEXES, 1926=100

Group	1945						1946						
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Wholesale Prices, Total.....	104.6	104.9	103.3	103.6	103.8	103.9	104.6	105.2	105.6	108.2	108.6	109.1	109.5
COMPONENT MATERIALS—													
Vegetable Products.....	100.2	98.1	96.3	96.3	96.7	97.0	97.2	97.2	97.4	97.8	97.7	98.7	99.2
Animal Products.....	108.2	108.6	107.7	108.9	109.8	108.9	108.3	109.2	109.0	112.6	112.9	114.2	115.7
Textiles.....	91.9	91.8	91.8	91.8	91.8	91.8	91.8	92.2	95.5	98.2	98.2	98.2	98.2
Wood Products.....	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	120.5	125.2	125.4	125.4	128.4	130.9	131.1	130.5
Iron and its Products.....	117.1	117.1	117.1	116.9	116.9	117.0	117.4	117.8	118.0	127.9	128.1	128.4	128.3
Non-Ferrous Metals.....	78.9	78.9	78.9	80.9	80.9	80.9	80.9	87.8	87.8	87.8	87.1	86.9	86.3
Non-Metallics.....	101.1	101.4	101.4	101.5	101.7	102.4	102.4	102.4	102.4	103.0	103.0	102.7	102.6
Chemicals.....	99.2	99.1	99.2	99.1	98.8	98.4	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	95.7	94.5	94.4
PURPOSE—Consumers' Goods...	99.2	98.7	97.9	98.3	98.6	98.4	97.8	98.1	99.0	100.8	100.8	101.3	102.0
Food Beverages.....	106.3	104.9	102.9	103.8	104.7	104.0	103.6	103.8	104.1	106.7	106.6	108.1	109.8
Producers' Goods.....	100.9	100.6	100.3	100.3	100.4	101.1	102.1	103.3	103.5	105.1	105.0	106.2	106.0
Producers' Equipment.....	117.5	118.1	118.1	117.7	118.6	120.3	120.3	120.3	120.3	120.8	120.8	120.3	120.3
Producers' Materials.....	99.1	98.7	98.3	98.4	98.4	99.0	100.1	101.4	101.6	103.3	103.2	104.6	104.4
Building Materials.....	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.0	127.2	127.3	128.0	128.4	128.4	134.2	134.2	134.2	133.5
Manufactured Materials.....	94.4	93.9	93.4	93.5	93.5	94.2	95.4	96.5	97.1	98.1	98.0	99.6	99.5
ORIGIN—Raw and partly manu-													
factured.....	107.4	106.6	105.2	105.6	106.0	106.0	106.0	106.9	107.0	108.0	108.6	109.7	110.2
Fully and Chiefly Manufactured..	94.0	94.0	94.0	94.1	94.3	94.3	95.3	95.4	95.9	98.5	98.5	98.5	98.8
Vegetable Origin—													
Raw.....	99.1	96.5	94.1	94.2	94.8	95.2	95.6	95.8	96.1	96.6	96.5	97.5	98.0
Manufactured.....	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	88.9	90.1	90.6	90.6	90.8	90.9
Total.....	93.6	92.4	91.3	91.3	91.6	91.8	92.0	92.1	92.9	93.4	93.3	93.9	94.2
Animal Origin—													
Raw.....	111.2	112.6	111.2	112.7	113.1	111.7	110.7	111.8	111.7	112.5	113.0	115.5	116.5
Manufactured.....	94.0	94.2	94.2	94.5	95.2	95.2	95.2	95.6	95.6	100.9	100.7	100.3	100.8
Total.....	101.8	102.2	101.6	102.4	103.0	102.4	101.9	102.6	102.6	105.9	106.0	106.9	107.6
Canadian Farm Products—													
Field.....	99.4	101.7	98.9	99.1	99.6	99.8	100.4	100.9	100.9	101.2	101.9	102.0	103.7
Animal.....	122.3	121.4	119.5	124.8	125.5	125.4	125.0	126.0	126.1	126.5	127.7	130.5	130.6
Total.....	108.0	109.1	106.6	108.7	109.3	109.4	109.6	110.3	110.3	110.7	111.5	112.7	113.8
Marine Origin—													
Raw.....	124.6	124.6	124.6	124.6	124.6	124.6	124.6	135.4	131.8	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0
Manufactured.....	133.9	133.9	133.9	133.9	136.0	136.0	136.0	136.0	134.1	142.0	142.0	142.0	140.8
Total.....	131.4	131.4	131.4	131.4	132.9	132.9	132.9	135.8	133.5	138.7	138.7	138.7	144.4
Forest Origin—													
Raw.....	151.0	151.0	151.0	151.6	151.6	151.6	152.6	153.0	153.0	158.5	163.9	163.9	162.7
Manufactured.....	92.0	92.0	92.0	92.0	92.0	92.0	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.7	99.7	100.4	100.6
Total.....	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	119.8	124.4	124.5	124.5	127.5	130.0	130.2	129.5
Mineral Origin—													
Raw.....	98.2	98.6	98.6	98.6	98.6	99.4	99.4	101.6	101.6	102.1	101.7	102.0	102.8
Manufactured.....	100.8	100.8	100.8	100.7	100.7	100.8	100.9	101.1	101.2	105.2	105.3	105.3	105.3
Total.....	99.6	99.8	99.8	99.8	99.8	100.2	100.2	101.3	101.4	103.8	103.7	103.8	104.2

Changes in building material prices extending back to and including May, 1945, are due to revisions

VIII. Prices—Continued

38. WHOLESALE PRICES INDEXES, 1926=100 BY COMMODITY GROUPS

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VIII. Prices—Concluded

39. PRICES OF REPRESENTATIVE COMMODITIES

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* Dressed weight grading.

40. INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES, 1935-39=100

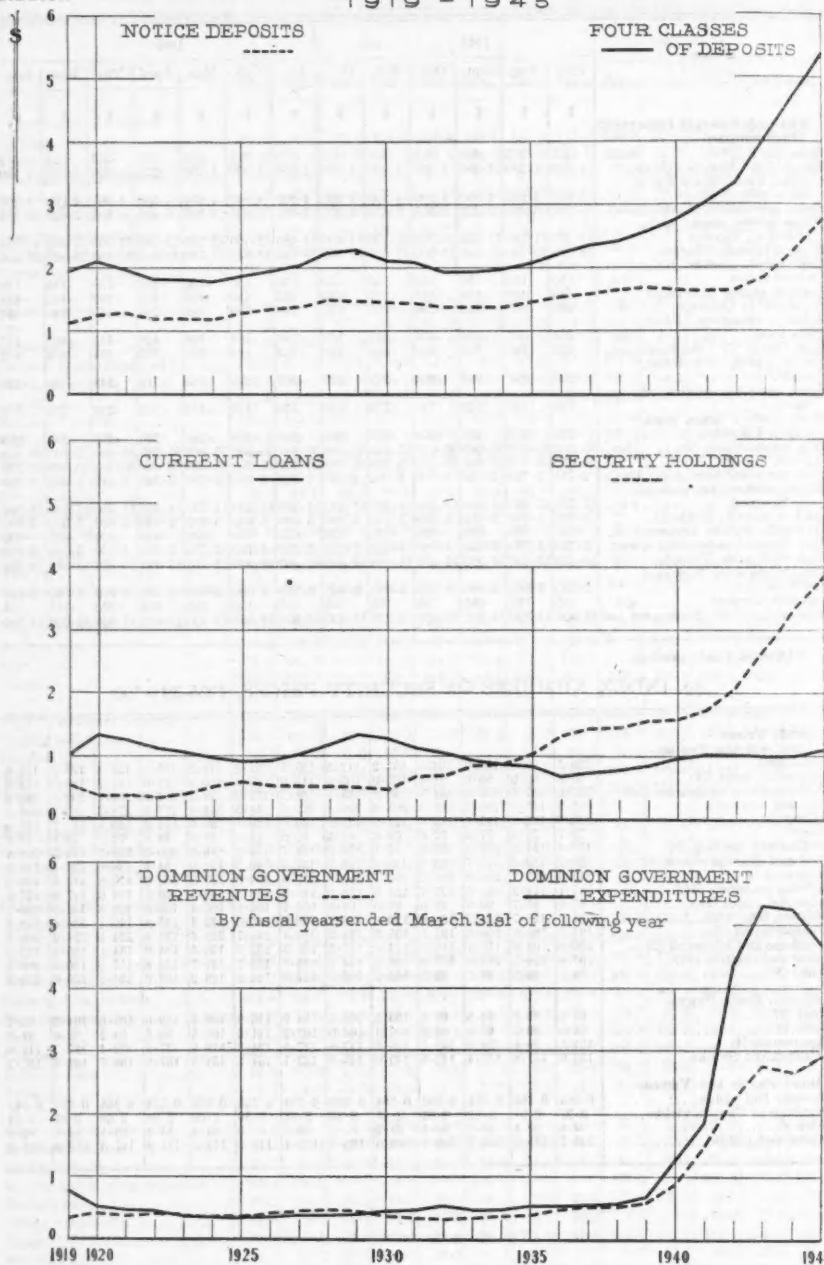
Security Prices—													
COMMON STOCK PRICES—													
Total (100)	100-5	99-6	102-0	104-2	107-2	112-5	123-5	121-8	119-2	125-1	124-4	123-3	119-9
Industrials, total (74)	93-3	93-0	95-6	98-4	102-0	105-8	116-0	113-8	110-9	117-6	117-7	116-7	112-6
Machinery and equipment (10)	137-0	137-6	138-6	141-3	145-2	155-1	168-2	172-9	180-9	208-7	207-2	190-0	190-0
Pulp and paper (8)	155-3	155-6	169-3	183-6	201-5	225-6	252-6	248-5	244-4	277-3	278-3	282-5	266-1
Milling (4)	113-9	112-2	115-1	115-6	119-9	127-5	130-6	132-1	130-6	141-4	140-8	141-7	140-0
Oils (4)	79-7	78-5	77-9	77-0	79-0	81-8	90-0	84-8	81-6	94-6	74-7	73-1	71-8
Textiles and clothing (9)	150-4	151-3	153-4	157-9	167-1	173-8	187-9	186-8	190-2	208-1	210-3	210-3	210-3
Food and food products (18)	110-7	110-5	113-7	115-6	116-6	117-8	127-8	130-3	129-0	134-4	136-7	133-4	134-0
Beverages (8)	212-0	215-2	225-6	226-0	289-7	305-3	347-5	334-0	327-8	353-9	410-0	410-0	430-2
Building materials (16)	117-1	118-2	122-2	127-4	131-3	138-5	149-0	150-5	148-6	160-6	160-4	167-7	157-3
Industrial mines (2)	85-8	85-7	90-6	93-0	99-0	99-0	106-1	106-0	106-0	106-0	109-8	108-5	108-1
Utilities, total (18)	126-0	121-7	124-7	124-6	126-0	135-9	148-6	146-0	142-4	145-4	140-7	138-4	132-2
Transportation (2)	195-7	198-9	190-8	192-1	195-8	221-2	255-4	249-7	229-6	233-8	224-1	234-0	206-8
Telephone and telegraph (2)	109-9	108-6	90-1	110-9	113-5	120-3	122-8	122-8	122-8	129-2	129-2	129-2	129-2
Railroads and traction (14)	107-4	106-8	108-7	107-9	108-0	114-7	125-8	122-7	121-7	124-8	117-8	110-0	109-8
Banks (8)	99-1	98-5	98-1	98-9	100-2	107-5	121-6	126-8	129-2	133-6	134-2	135-0	135-3
MINING STOCK PRICES—													
Total (27)	93-1	93-7	94-5	98-8	105-5	108-2	114-9	116-9	108-4	110-0	107-0	104-0	93-4
Gold (23)	83-0	89-7	91-2	96-2	102-3	104-0	107-2	111-6	101-3	96-8	94-2	92-0	81-7
Base metals (4)	101-9	99-4	98-6	101-1	108-5	113-8	127-5	124-8	119-9	127-9	124-4	125-7	114-6
PREFERRED STOCKS.	138-0	137-8	139-4	142-5	145-0	146-6	152-1	154-1	154-5	157-8	159-7	161-6	157-5
BOND PRICES AND YIELDS—													
Treasury Bill yields	0-363	0-363	0-361	0-363	0-364	0-363	0-363	0-363	0-362	0-370	0-385	0-393	0-343
Dominion of Canada yields	2-91	2-91	2-92	2-91	2-87	2-83	2-73	2-59	2-60	2-60	2-60	2-62	2-62
Index of	94-6	94-4	94-6	94-4	93-9	92-2	90-0	85-9	83-3	84-3	85-1	84-9	85-1
Capitalized yields	105-7	105-9	105-7	105-9	106-5	108-8	111-1	116-4	119-3	118-8	117-6	117-7	118-1

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BANKING AND GOVERNMENT FINANCE

BILLION

1919 - 1945



IX. Finance

41. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE BANK OF CANADA, 1946

Item	June 29	July 17	July 24	July 31	August 7	August 14
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
LIABILITIES—						
1. Capital paid up.....	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000
2. Res. fund.....	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367
3. Notes in circulation.....	1,113,963,181	1,119,524,094	1,116,282,896	1,117,864,103	1,123,012,614	1,122,082,724
4. Deposits—						
(a) Dominion Government.....	57,884,872	58,386,557	65,877,674	69,139,135	87,961,643	54,328,669
(b) Provincial Governments.....						
(c) Chartered Banks.....	500,480,818	492,693,516	523,882,946	532,477,926	524,540,643	532,311,882
(d) Other.....	85,559,035	76,858,923	86,704,696	90,081,112	80,087,601	84,243,609
Total.....	643,924,725	627,835,996	676,465,286	691,668,173	692,559,888	670,884,160
5. Liabilities, Sterling, U.S.A. currency.....	2,027,422	1,843,111	1,843,111	1,843,111	1,843,111	1,843,111
6. All other liabilities.....	17,089,927	17,586,558	34,353,325	25,169,668	27,541,305	20,356,984
Total.....	1,792,055,623	1,811,943,125	1,843,994,984	1,851,595,422	1,860,037,284	1,830,217,345
ASSETS—						
1. Reserve—						
Gold coin and bullion.....						
Silver bullion.....						
Sterling and U.S.A. dollars.....	2,027,422	1,843,111	1,843,111	1,843,111	1,843,111	1,843,111
Other currencies, of countries on a gold standard.....						
Total.....	2,027,422	1,843,111	1,843,111	1,843,111	1,843,111	1,843,111
2. Subsidiary coin.....	404,364	408,083	420,350	394,955	411,385	406,466
3. Bills discounted.....						
4. Advances to—						
(a) Dominion Government.....						
(b) Provincial Governments.....						
(c) Chartered and Savings Banks.....						
Total.....						
5. Bills bought except treasury bills.....						
6. Investments—						
(a) Dominion and Provincial Government short securities.....	1,218,529,992	1,237,738,484	1,270,720,648	1,276,549,796	1,290,305,761	1,269,049,636
(b) Other Dominion and Provincial Government securities.....	540,704,139	540,487,538	542,918,783	541,792,913	530,125,372	527,814,263
(c) Other securities.....	10,000,000	10,000,000	10,000,000	10,000,000	10,000,000	10,000,000
Total.....	1,769,234,131	1,788,226,022	1,823,639,430	1,828,342,709	1,830,431,130	1,806,863,899
7. Bank Premises.....	2,542,639	2,542,777	2,547,777	2,542,777	2,542,902	2,543,148
8. All other Assets.....	17,847,067	18,923,133	15,567,316	18,471,869	24,808,751	18,560,690
Total.....	1,792,055,623	1,811,943,125	1,843,994,984	1,851,595,422	1,860,037,284	1,830,217,345

42. MONEY SUPPLY

Millions of Dollars

Classification	1945						1946						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Money Supply (M+M₁)	6451.3	6391.7	6361.0	6465.6	6726.4	7261.3	7173.5	7669.1	7126.4	7664.2	7189.8	7105.5	6974.6
CIRCULATING MEDIA—													
Bank Notes in Circulation—													
Bank of Canada	1063.2	1078.8	1097.9	1112.4	1136.6	1113.8	1129.1	1088.1	1086.7	1102.2	1114.4	1109.5	1114.0
Chartered Banks	28.7	28.2	27.7	27.2	26.7	26.1	25.7	25.2	24.8	24.5	24.1	23.7	23.3
Notes in hands of public	970.2	968.9	967.7	1009.2	1007.4	998.6	992.0	966.1	976.9	1002.0	984.0	995.0	1011.0
Subsidiary coin in hands of public	61.4	61.0	61.8	62.4	62.2	63.1	63.0	61.2	61.5	62.8	62.0	62.7	64.0
Total Circulating Media in hands of public (M ₁)	1031.6	1027.8	1059.8	1071.6	1069.5	1061.6	1055.0	1027.3	1008.4	1064.7	1046.0	1058.4	1075.0
DEPOSITS—													
Deposits with Chartered Banks—													
Dominion Government	934.2	473.4	255.0	135.2	155.9	1063.1	922.1	795.5	650.7	517.0	359.6	248.9	114.3
Provincial Government	102.7	120.0	114.6	108.6	128.9	97.6	91.1	103.0	105.9	108.1	122.3	120.2	120.3
Demand	1957.3	1934.7	2126.3	2092.3	2297.0	2046.4	2062.9	1948.5	1995.4	1885.3	2178.5	2207.0	2150.3
Notice	2645.5	2740.6	2833.2	2934.8	2991.6	2816.2	2865.3	2962.9	3078.0	3170.2	3237.5	3306.7	3363.6
Total	5539.8	5268.8	5229.1	5269.0	5573.4	6013.2	5941.4	5810.5	5829.9	5781.2	5897.9	5981.5	5756.1
Deposits with Bank of Canada—													
Dominion Government	45.9	57.5	32.6	39.6	51.0	159.1	153.3	187.2	201.7	149.2	183.3	87.1	57.9
Other	35.9	37.6	39.7	22.4	32.4	27.4	29.9	34.2	56.4	59.1	62.7	78.4	85.6
Total	79.8	95.1	72.4	62.1	83.4	186.5	183.1	221.4	258.1	208.3	246.0	165.6	143.4
Total Deposits (M ₂)	5619.6	5363.9	5301.5	5331.0	5656.8	6199.7	6124.5	6031.8	5988.0	6019.5	6143.9	6047.1	5899.6

IX. Finance—Continued 43. CANADIAN CHARTERED BANKS

Millions of Dollars

Classification	1945							1946						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
Assets—														
CANADIAN CASH RESERVE—														
Notes of Bank of Canada.....	121-07	140-23	127-92	130-45	155-94	141-38	162-86	147-19	134-64	124-72	154-48	137-53	126-30	
Deposits with Bank of Canada.....	491-90	441-15	444-36	442-89	474-18	495-23	521-21	505-88	522-92	515-12	555-80	493-36	500-48	
Totals.....	613-97	581-38	572-28	573-35	630-12	636-60	684-06	653-07	657-56	639-85	710-28	630-89	626-78	
SUNDRY ASSETS—														
Gold and coin.....	10-68	11-79	11-45	11-44	12-72	12-43	12-84	15-08	14-65	13-21	13-96	13-56	12-45	
Foreign currency.....	97-09	99-89	98-06	96-49	97-08	92-72	96-63	96-96	97-46	87-19	87-66	94-50	101-68	
Notes and Cheques on other banks.....	213-63	218-09	240-13	200-03	246-45	318-96	280-37	211-26	248-54	207-26	255-64	280-39	230-03	
Balances at other Banks—														
United Kingdom banks.....	43-91	44-65	43-19	45-47	35-79	28-38	29-96	30-61	31-88	31-90	32-99	29-06	27-03	
Other foreign banks.....	190-27	182-06	184-21	179-22	215-61	196-86	186-86	185-01	178-30	191-55	206-05	194-44	193-93	
Canadian Chartered banks.....	2-70	1-96	2-74	2-15	2-10	3-74	2-29	2-31	2-85	2-17	2-20	2-66	2-35	
SECURITIES—														
Dom.-Prov. Government.....	3,585-9	3,396-5	3,415-6	3,531-1	3,702-5	3,572-1	3,586-6	3,647-5	3,644-9	3,690-1	3,708-7	3,726-7	3,681-9	
Canadian municipal.....	82-92	85-37	86-98	87-63	87-52	87-51	91-05	91-78	96-30	98-15	98-82	95-40	96-27	
Foreign public.....	219-64	212-06	226-45	232-28	257-60	241-46	241-65	244-22	257-57	251-21	277-31	303-72	318-44	
Other.....	107-09	108-08	105-99	108-95	111-03	114-33	118-77	116-27	120-70	148-26	157-86	178-29	177-87	
Totals.....	3,995-5	3,802-0	3,835-0	3,960-0	4,158-6	4,015-4	4,038-1	4,099-7	4,119-4	4,196-7	4,242-7	4,304-1	4,274-5	
CALL AND SHORT LOANS—														
In Canada.....	122-89	134-75	112-42	108-69	130-08	238-51	251-17	209-54	196-78	147-65	151-82	124-51	115-20	
Elsewhere.....	120-15	111-25	119-15	117-57	96-09	108-03	120-49	101-89	109-67	105-06	106-07	89-57	74-41	
CURRENT LOANS—														
In Canada—														
Prov. Governments.....	6-46	6-24	5-50	10-32	11-14	30-06	26-14	10-47	19-22	17-59	16-74	19-43	9-43	
Municipalities, etc.....	25-61	27-42	27-81	22-57	18-85	27-56	21-15	19-77	24-03	30-89	29-46	27-02	30-86	
Other.....	1109-49	1045-67	987-94	969-39	978-65	1314-32	1227-07	1173-88	1151-10	1132-75	1113-80	1140-36	1147-72	
Elsewhere than in Canada.....	130-95	129-10	129-43	128-12	137-39	145-54	150-82	144-62	147-21	146-05	151-87	150-17	154-10	
OTHER ASSETS—														
Non-current loans.....	1-19	1-17	1-17	1-16	1-07	0-98	0-96	1-06	0-96	0-97	0-91	0-93	0-95	
Bank premises.....	63-31	62-13	62-38	64-13	64-65	63-07	63-12	63-79	63-83	63-94	64-35	64-80	64-97	
Other real estate.....	2-11	1-97	1-96	1-80	2-09	1-89	1-90	1-89	1-90	1-80	1-86	1-77	1-77	
Mortgages.....	2-16	2-19	2-17	2-12	2-18	2-08	1-98	1-89	1-85	1-83	1-79	1-73	1-66	
Loans to controlled companies.....	14-44	14-55	14-43	14-32	9-13	10-49	10-45	10-83	10-77	10-73	10-69	10-64	10-50	
Note circulation deposit.....	2-27	2-31	1-69	1-69	1-69	1-69	1-69	1-69	1-69	1-69	1-70	1-70	1-70	
Letters of credit.....	123-43	127-87	123-32	126-38	136-24	135-41	140-69	140-66	146-20	153-14	166-35	174-04	180-59	
Other assets.....	4-15	4-09	4-01	4-02	4-31	4-57	4-53	4-50	4-78	4-81	4-71	4-78	4-90	
Total Assets.....	6,894-9	6,612-5	6,580-5	6,640-4	6,992-1	7,389-3	7,532-3	7,189-6	7,233-4	7,192-7	7,373-6	7,360-9	7,269-8	
Liabilities—														
Notes in circulation.....	28-75	28-20	27-71	27-19	26-06	26-12	25-71	25-22	24-94	24-46	24-10	23-68	23-30	
Deposit Liabilities—														
Government Deposits—														
Dominion.....	934-23	473-40	555-04	133-21	155-93	1053-07	922-09	795-52	650-74	517-99	359-56	248-63	114-30	
Provincial.....	102-68	120-03	114-59	108-59	128-91	97-59	91-10	103-55	105-80	106-14	122-32	120-18	128-07	
Public Deposits—														
Demand in Canada.....	1,857-3	1,934-7	2,026-3	2,062-3	2,297-0	2,046-4	2,062-9	1,948-5	1,995-4	1,985-3	2,178-5	2,207-0	2,150-3	
Time in Canada.....	2,645-5	2,740-6	2,833-2	2,934-8	2,991-6	2,816-2	2,865-3	2,962-9	3,078-0	3,170-2	3,237-5	3,305-7	3,363-4	
Foreign.....	708-63	703-68	711-47	720-50	768-89	725-41	760-37	729-06	734-50	738-92	772-14	770-69	766-11	
Deposits of other Banks—														
Canadian chartered banks.....	20-14	15-27	16-63	15-17	19-53	25-81	19-12	17-26	23-23	15-67	20-01	18-26	17-09	
United Kingdom banks.....	28-55	35-73	36-23	34-85	34-49	37-05	35-28	29-72	30-99	30-80	32-04	31-90	31-71	
Other banks.....	68-08	64-91	65-48	70-03	70-67	67-44	75-63	79-07	83-19	84-42	91-66	84-51	105-33	
Total Deposit Liabilities.....	6,375-1	6,088-4	6,061-9	6,109-5	6,466-7	6,870-0	6,831-7	6,656-6	6,701-8	6,651-0	6,813-7	6,788-9	6,676-8	
of which: Canadian currency.....	5,330-5	5,255-7	5,215-4	5,263-6	5,577-5	6,004-1	5,948-9	5,807-2	5,834-9	5,786-4	5,911-4	5,893-0	5,779-5	
Other Liabilities—														
Bills payable.....	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	0-00	
Letters of Credit.....	123-43	127-87	123-32	126-38	136-24	135-41	140-69	140-66	146-20	153-14	166-35	174-04	180-59	
Other.....	5-23	5-27	5-75	5-37	3-72	3-65	3-29	2-98	3-26	2-93	2-88	4-36	3-91	
Liabilities to Shareholders														
Dividends.....	1-18	2-45	1-50	1-20	2-46	1-50	1-21	2-86	1-88	1-48	3-12	1-88	1-48	
Reserve.....	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	136-75	
Capital paid up.....	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	145-50	
Total Liabilities.....	6,871-6	6,587-1	6,553-0	6,609-8	6,973-2	7,372-8	7,336-7	7,173-0	7,216-8	7,176-2	7,357-0	7,344-4	7,253-3	
Daily Average Data—														
Canadian currency deposits.....	5,507-3	5,236-6	5,172-3	5,178-9	5,338-2	5,867-8	5,854-4	5,814-7	5,733-5	5,764-9	5,781-0	5,795-3	5,788-7	
Canadian cash reserve.....	638-7	598-2	598-9	581-3	603-9	656-5	675-9	676-8	653-3	639-4	663-0	653-1	656-6	
Total public note circulation*	934-3	948-1	966-4	983-3	998-8	985-3	989-4	961-7	964-8	978-0	984-9	979-1	982-5	
Daily Average Ratio:														
Cash to Deposits.....	11-6	11-4	11-6	11-2	11-3	11-2	11-5	11-6	11-4	11-1	11-5	11-8	11-3	

*Chartered bank note circulation and Bank of Canada notes not held by chartered banks.

IX. Finance—Continued

43. CANADIAN CHARTERED BANKS—concluded

Index Number— (1935-39=100)	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Canadian deposits (daily average).....	236.5	224.8	222.1	222.4	229.2	251.9	251.4	249.7	246.2	247.5	248.2	248.5	248.5
Canadian cash re- serve (daily aver- age).....	265.5	248.6	248.9	241.6	251.0	272.9	280.9	281.3	271.5	265.8	275.6	283.9	272.9
Current loans in Canada.....	142.3	134.1	126.7	124.3	125.5	168.5	157.3	150.5	147.6	145.2	142.8	145.2	147.2
Total securities.....	294.6	280.3	282.8	292.0	306.6	296.1	297.7	302.3	303.7	300.4	312.8	317.3	315.2
Total public note cir- culation*.....	480.9	488.0	497.4	505.1	514.1	507.1	509.2	495.0	496.6	503.3	506.9	503.8	505.7

* Chartered bank note circulation and Bank of Canada notes not held by chartered banks.

44. CHEQUES CASHED IN MILLION DOLLARS

Areas and Cities	1945						1946						
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Cheques Cashed—													
MARITIME PROVINCES													
Halifax.....	66.1	54.5	92.3	62.5	111.7	76.2	65.1	55.8	62.6	59.5	113.0	76.6	80.5
Moncton.....	20.7	19.1	22.4	24.0	30.0	23.6	20.5	19.6	21.7	21.0	24.2	22.4	22.7
Saint John.....	33.4	30.9	30.1	34.0	58.5	38.0	36.1	31.4	39.3	37.3	38.8	39.9	40.0
Totals.....	120.2	104.5	144.9	120.4	200.1	137.8	122.7	106.8	123.7	117.8	176.0	138.9	143.2
QUEBEC—													
Montreal.....	1,309.6	1,217.4	1,261.6	1,349.2	2,299.7	1,582.3	1,513.3	1,447.4	1,502.8	1,465.5	1,730.4	1,640.9	1,594.9
Quebec.....	162.6	114.4	124.6	129.1	157.2	144.8	128.1	147.5	120.6	129.0	137.4	143.3	184.7
Sherbrooke.....	13.5	13.6	12.3	15.6	21.1	16.6	13.8	12.6	14.9	15.8	16.9	17.0	17.6
Totals.....	1,485.7	1,345.3	1,398.5	1,493.9	2,478.0	1,743.7	1,655.1	1,607.6	1,638.3	1,610.4	1,884.7	1,801.2	1,797.2
ONTARIO—													
Brantford.....	20.0	18.0	16.5	19.3	31.4	23.4	20.5	19.4	21.3	22.6	24.5	21.9	22.9
Chatham.....	12.4	11.3	14.1	12.7	19.3	18.2	16.7	15.1	13.6	12.4	15.0	14.2	15.1
Fort William.....	14.6	14.5	11.9	15.1	19.1	13.6	13.1	12.9	14.2	13.3	14.6	14.2	16.4
Hamilton.....	101.4	100.0	96.2	110.0	159.0	109.8	135.3	104.8	106.1	110.8	125.3	114.0	120.3
Kingston.....	14.7	15.4	14.1	16.4	21.8	16.9	17.9	13.5	16.8	16.6	17.4	15.2	16.3
Kitchener.....	23.0	21.0	22.5	24.7	46.4	30.1	33.3	30.0	27.6	27.7	33.3	30.7	31.2
London.....	63.9	56.0	57.8	62.5	118.5	79.7	75.3	59.7	72.6	71.7	74.4	84.0	71.0
Ottawa.....	746.2	491.1	700.3	796.7	1,042.4	334.9	454.0	312.8	613.9	657.2	411.3	318.5	285.4
Peterborough.....	12.7	12.3	12.4	16.3	17.7	15.3	13.8	14.0	14.1	16.6	17.4	17.0	16.7
St. Catharines.....	18.1	16.6	15.2	18.7	28.1	20.9	18.4	17.3	18.7	19.6	21.4	21.5	21.6
Sarnia.....	18.7	18.3	19.0	18.6	22.1	18.4	19.8	15.9	18.5	16.7	18.5	21.8	20.0
Sudbury.....	10.0	10.1	10.0	12.8	13.8	11.8	10.9	10.1	11.4	11.5	13.0	13.0	12.9
Toronto.....	1,343.4	1,178.1	1,364.7	1,384.9	2,417.3	2,084.6	1,960.2	1,837.7	1,651.2	1,648.1	1,671.9	1,677.2	1,643.3
Windsor.....	83.2	76.6	64.4	62.9	80.1	68.4	64.9	68.3	73.8	76.9	85.8	81.6	77.0
Totals.....	2,482.4	2,039.3	2,419.3	2,571.6	4,026.9	2,845.9	2,554.2	2,531.4	2,673.9	2,721.8	2,543.9	2,444.8	2,361.1
PRAIRIE PROVINCES—													
Brandon.....	6.6	7.0	7.5	8.5	10.9	7.1	8.1	6.3	6.8	7.8	8.9	7.7	13.0
Calgary.....	116.8	106.1	109.9	147.4	181.0	138.6	130.4	112.6	113.6	111.3	124.6	123.5	143.7
Edmonton.....	95.4	102.5	93.7	125.1	112.9	99.4	94.3	88.8	137.0	93.4	99.8	73.2	99.4
Lethbridge.....	8.9	9.3	10.0	12.7	12.8	11.0	10.4	10.9	11.7	12.2	11.9	11.4	11.2
Medicine Hat.....	5.3	5.1	6.2	6.5	6.7	5.8	5.3	4.7	5.7	6.1	5.9	5.8	6.5
Moose Jaw.....	13.1	13.8	13.2	16.6	19.3	16.4	15.0	11.3	15.2	15.9	14.6	14.9	15.4
Prince Albert.....	6.6	6.5	6.7	7.8	8.9	7.6	7.5	7.3	8.3	8.7	8.5	8.3	9.6
Regina.....	86.0	59.5	76.2	116.8	147.7	91.5	76.8	49.2	64.3	83.9	80.7	66.7	76.6
Saskatoon.....	24.9	23.7	23.6	27.0	30.3	26.0	25.3	21.5	29.0	29.7	30.3	28.6	26.3
Winnipeg.....	621.9	599.6	524.6	686.3	769.4	545.7	625.8	385.1	414.0	492.1	625.9	455.9	430.3
Totals.....	956.4	903.0	861.4	1,154.7	1,300.0	949.1	898.9	696.0	805.6	861.3	1,010.9	795.7	831.9
BRITISH COLUMBIA—													
New Westminster.....	14.8	15.2	18.3	19.3	20.5	18.7	18.5	15.1	17.8	18.2	19.6	21.3	17.9
Vancouver.....	285.3	281.7	268.9	335.4	471.7	334.0	383.5	328.0	364.6	364.2	379.9	340.7	329.1
Victoria.....	44.4	37.6	45.9	53.7	73.6	55.5	57.7	50.2	54.3	61.0	100.5	66.7	66.4
Totals.....	344.5	334.4	333.1	408.4	565.7	408.2	459.7	393.3	436.7	443.4	500.0	428.7	413.4
Canada.....	5,419.2	4,726.6	5,157.3	5,749.2	8,509.7	6,064.8	5,990.7	5,335.9	5,675.2	5,754.7	6,115.6	5,989.4	5,546.9

IX. Finance—Continued

45. DOMINION GOVERNMENT REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES

Classification	Month of July, 1946 (Unrevised)	Month of July, 1945	April, 1946 to July 31, 1946 (July Unrevised)	April 1, 1944 to July 31, 1945
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Receipts—				
ORDINARY REVENUE.				
Customs Import Duties.....	17,969,980	9,420,352	61,018,414	46,338,387
Excise Duties.....	15,560,843	13,309,646	59,743,321	54,608,924
Excise Taxes.....	49,773,307	50,259,327	154,352,989	186,459,913
Income and Excess Profits Taxes.....	145,631,677	151,285,162	541,131,837	539,379,377
Postal Revenue.....	4,900,000	5,000,000	19,600,000	19,500,000
Sundry.....	818,787	4,260,475	14,004,110	18,961,005
Total Ordinary Revenue.....	234,654,598	233,534,982	849,850,670	865,247,606
SPECIAL RECEIPTS.				
War Assets Corporation.....	11,957,623	1,381,684	75,285,116	6,639,352
Other.....	6,348,890	2,544,192	12,078,270	14,649,897
Grand Total.....	252,961,109	237,460,838	937,214,056	886,536,855
Disbursements—				
ORDINARY EXPENDITURE (by Departments)				
Agriculture.....	1,099,954	792,381	3,675,047	3,072,157
Finance—				
Interest on Public Debt.....	20,094,217	25,398,368	116,786,455	118,501,807
Compensation to Provinces re Taxation Agreements.....	12,801,274	5,632,869	46,166,876	40,215,651
Other Appropriations.....	902,112	1,115,473	3,099,806	5,551,167
Labour.....	1,750,391	1,612,867	6,871,053	5,995,262
Mines and Resources.....	1,537,394	1,139,037	4,830,710	3,092,224
National Health and Welfare—				
Family Allowances.....	19,964,177	17,560,934	79,576,630	17,560,934
Dominion's share of Old Age Pensions, including Pensions to the Blind.....	7,444,535	4,731,938	7,445,329	6,938,195
Other Appropriations.....	468,275	225,323	1,508,418	789,615
National Revenue.....	2,101,576	1,811,536	8,047,810	7,075,110
Post Office.....	4,818,230	4,383,363	16,723,823	15,438,196
Public Works.....	1,566,303	939,839	5,191,032	3,351,545
Transport.....	1,174,470	1,414,050	5,150,939	5,459,368
Veterans Affairs.....	6,478,627	5,533,038	27,723,604	22,420,243
Other Departments.....	4,699,880	10,888,988	14,346,403	19,634,075
Total Ordinary.....	86,671,414	83,152,994	347,152,635	275,905,538
CAPITAL EXPENDITURE.....	615,920	121,361	2,200,731	966,477
SPECIAL EXPENDITURE.....	340,803	412,771	768,551	990,232
DEMORILIZATION AND RECONVERSION EXPENDITURE (by Departments) (1945-46 expenditure from War appropriations)				
Agriculture.....	8,619,947	6,238,965	23,728,420	22,031,668
Canadian Mutual Aid Board.....		172,494,598		522,637,458
Finance—				
Wartime Prices and Trade Board.....	1,082,876	1,099,253	3,887,516	4,255,073
Other Appropriations.....	**Cr. 13,961,630	22,945,453	23,393,821	28,329,836

IX. Finance—Concluded

45. DOMINION GOVERNMENT REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES—Concluded

Classification	Month of July, 1946 (Unrevised)	Month of July, 1945	April, 1946 to July 31, 1946 (July Unrevised)	April 1, 1945 to July 31, 1945
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Disbursements—Concluded				
DEMobilIZATION AND RECONVERSION EXPENDITURES—Concluded				
Labour.....	2,226,701	1,544,415	7,140,166	5,201,304
Mines and Resources.....	439,666	405,884	834,211	1,198,116
National Defence—				
Army and Related Services.....	27,484,790	68,784,870	107,347,650	335,708,891
Naval Service.....	3,667,441	23,362,072	18,858,942	87,135,648
Air Service.....	5,885,111	40,647,048	26,463,271	215,968,814
National Health and Welfare—				
Dominion's share of Old Age Pensions, including Pensions to the Blind.....	1,972,709	1,385,936	1,972,897	1,962,063
Other Appropriations.....	2,968,254	399,992	3,523,600	1,179,657
Public Works.....	1,292,363	1,164,203	3,180,714	3,743,947
Reconstruction and Supply.....	3,486,176	142,067,963	25,941,844	Cr. 87877100
Transport.....	758,787	913,794	3,159,472	3,353,845
Veterans Affairs.....	50,761,978	11,300,650	205,902,890	40,054,882
Other Departments.....	5,942,216	3,427,976	5,455,314	9,577,889
Total Demobilization and Reconversion	102,327,395	314,044,137	460,809,727	1,194,761,929
GOVERNMENT OWNED ENTERPRISES—				
Canadian National Railways—				
P.E.I. Car Ferry and Terminal Deficit	58,000	61,006	232,000	277,000
OTHER CHARGES—				
Consolidated Deficit A/C-Misc.	25,800	53	66,350	18,832
Grand Total Expenditures	190,039,332	397,792,316	811,229,995	1,472,920,008
Loans, Advances and Investments—Net Increase or*Decrease—				
LOANS AND ADVANCES—				
To Railway and Steamship Companies—				
Canadian National Railways.....		*5,830,970	21,992,859	*16,929,267
To Foreign Exchange Board.....		100,000,000		300,000,000
To Sundry Government Agencies—				
Soldiers Settlement and Veterans' Land Act.....	8,586,873	489,222	10,988,020	1,678,278
Commodity Prices Stabilization Corp. Ltd.....	19,852,423	*11,503,725	11,367,942	3,496,275
Other.....	24,892,801	12,092,780	7,247,567	*4,261,448
To Provincial and Municipal Governments.....	*34,059	*1,038,227	*888,000	*1,603,502
To United Kingdom and Other Governments.....	37,926,683	*15,939,089	210,253,397	*18,515,655
Miscellaneous.....	*15,830	*239,043	*183,934	*492,751
Total Loans and Advances.....	91,148,891	78,940,948	260,807,843	263,271,910
INVESTMENTS—				
Miscellaneous.....	13,795,486	*28,611,103	38,527,307	*33,275,239

*Consisting of credits of \$114,557,013-28 less expenditure \$72,480,050-57 in the Munitions Production Allotment Fund.

**Includes expenditures of \$6,038,380-17 and an adjustment of advances totalling \$20,000,000-00 to Commodity Prices Stabilization Corporation Ltd. previously charged to expenditure and now transferred to Loans and Advances to Sundry Government Agencies.

IX. Finance—Concluded

46. STOCK MARKET TRANSACTIONS AND BOND FINANCING

Classification	1945						1946					
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Transactions—												
MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE AND												
MONTREAL CURE MARKET—												
Shares Traded—												
Industrials.....000	599	485	897	1,486	2,019	1,603	2,247	1,685	1,058	1,802	1,652	985
Mines.....000	873	1,835	2,336	4,401	4,496	2,594	7,364	5,077	4,075	3,490	2,501	2,892
Value of Listings.....\$000,000	7,822	7,907	8,039	8,192	8,559	8,804	9,784	9,492	9,594	9,747	9,836	9,599
Brokers' Loans.....\$000	15,454	15,824	17,310	19,482	24,474	24,466	28,099	29,467	27,491	24,797	26,041	24,582
Loan Ratio.....	0-26	0-26	0-28	0-31	0-37	0-35	0-32	0-38	0-35	0-31	0-33	0-31
TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE—												
Borrowings on collateral.....\$000	26,819	26,565	28,246	30,876	36,509	36,969	40,696	37,712	28,873	33,206	33,752	33,946
Ratio to quoted values.....	0-43	0-41	0-43	0-47	0-51	0-49	0-51	0-49	0-37	0-42	0-42	0-43
Sales.....000	10,699	17,064	30,083	52,656	62,125	33,378	60,388	43,759	31,694	40,918	30,994	18,602
Value.....\$000	27,218	26,607	39,044	71,317	81,972	62,571	118,354	99,886	64,879	75,005	76,560	44,211
Market values ¹.....\$000,000	6,280	6,413	6,562	6,747	7,113	7,437	8,026	7,711	7,813	7,993	8,066	7,852
New Issues of Bonds ².....\$000,000	423-4	212-5	718-3	765-7	2195-2	195-3	186-7	174-2	1232-0	577-4	269-3	236-9
INDEX OF DIVIDEND PAYMENTS.....	140-0	140-0	140-0	140-0	140-1	140-2	140-3	141-4	142-4	143-2	143-2	144-9
DIVIDEND PAYMENTS.....\$000	25,646	12,104	23,878	24,088	5,503	43,067	27,098	8,464	30,497	29,062	9,564	47,161

	1944				1945				1946	
	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II
Bond Issues and Retirements³										
DOM. GOVT. DIRECT AND GTD.										
New issues.....\$000,000	17-4	1419-5	12-6	1672-6	14-5	1581-5	11-1	2031-4	9-7	7-0
Retirements.....	24-2	137-4	118-7	217-3	7-9	9-5	10-7	104-0	195-0	213-9
PROVINCIAL DIRECT AND GTD.										
New Issues—new.....	4-6	0-5	2-5	5-0	2-5	12-6	18-0	3-0	13-2	13-0
—refunding.....	13-6	21-0	25-2	29-1	47-1	29-6	60-3	13-6	17-5	
Retirements—refunded.....	14-4	10-3	39-2	23-0	6-8	21-3	28-8	70-2	4-8	13-5
—other.....	21-7	22-4	15-1	14-7	10-8	18-0	16-7	21-6	20-3	15-6
CORPORATIONS										
New Issues—new.....	2-4	18-6	12-2	13-9	7-6	7-7	28-0	8-3	17-6	36-0
—refunding.....	33-6	35-2	4-5	22-2	81-3	12-4	11-1	22-5	97-7	171-1
Retirements—refunded.....	32-0	22-9	18-4	23-2	43-1	45-2	18-8	22-9	29-0	219-1
—other.....	13-9	19-5	21-2	29-2	12-8	37-1	11-6	16-8	16-8	53-2

¹ Month end values of all listed stocks. Summary, Bank of Canada.²Source: A. E. Ames & Co.³Totals shown by quarters. Source: Statistical

X. Other Countries

47. INDEXES OF WHOLESALE PRICES IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES¹

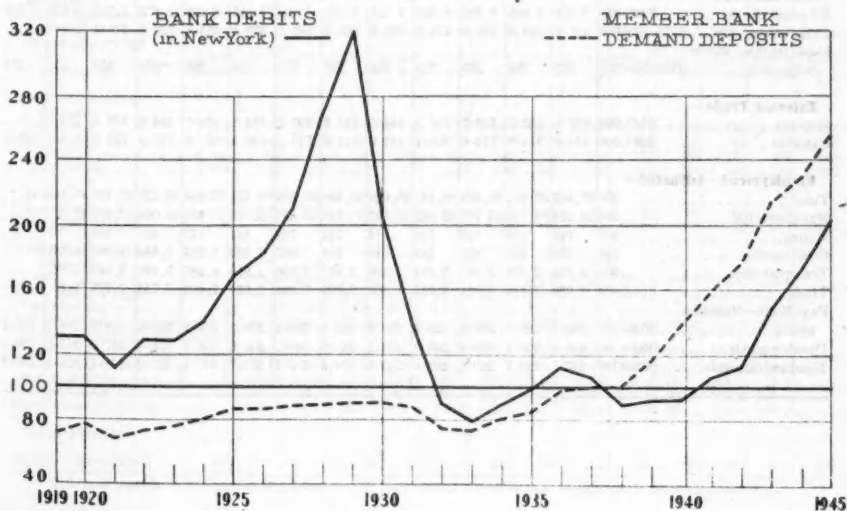
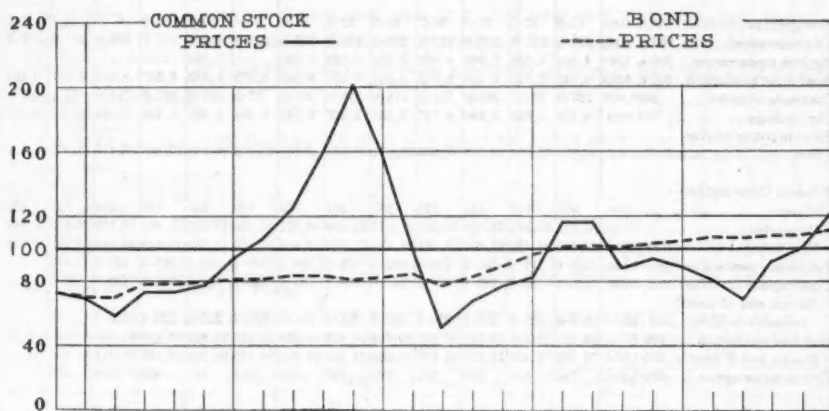
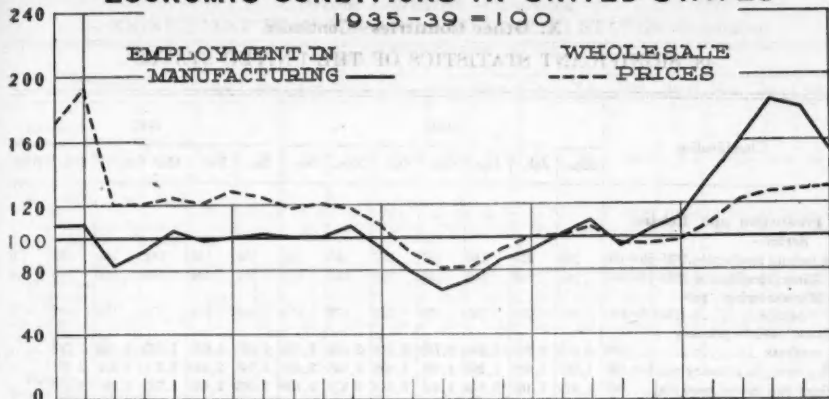
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Country	1945						1946					
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April
Wholesale Prices—												
Canada.....	141	142	143	142	141	141	142	142	143	144	144	148
United States.....	130	139	139	138	138	139	140	140	140	141	143	144
Argentina.....	211	211	212	210	211	200	210	212	214	216	222	222
Chile.....	216	218	219	221	222	224	226	224	225	225	228	231
Mexico.....	198	200	206	209	210	211	213	217	219	219	224	228
Peru.....	217	217	218	219	217	216	217	217	217	220	222	223
Venezuela.....	146	146	144	144	144	142	147	146	147	148	149	150
India.....	297	299	294	296	292	283	280	288	287	303	302	306
Iran.....	478	478	465	465	518	481	481	549	549	549	549	549
Palestine.....	333	319	314	325	334	345	348	347	348	364	342	342
Denmark.....	199	194	193	192	190	188	186	186	186	184	186	187
Spain.....	208	209	214	217	222	229	229	229	229	229	229	229
Finland.....	307	337	371	431	454	506	535	535	541	548	558	613
Norway.....	183	183	183	183	183	182	182	170	171	171	169	171
Portugal.....	247	246	227	231	230	224	242	242	245	245	245	245
United Kingdom Board of Trade.....	173	175	176	175	174	174	174	174	177	177	177	177
Sweden.....	179	180	179	178	175	175	175	174	169	169	168	168
Switzerland.....	209	209	210	211	210	207	206	202	203	201	202	201
Australia.....	139	140	140	140	140	140	139	139	139	139	139	139
New Zealand.....	150	150	151	151	151	151	152	153	152	152	151	151
Union South Africa.....	158	159	160	160	160	160	159	158	159	159	159	159
Egypt.....	328	323	325	326	328	328	328	328	328	328	328	328

¹ Source: League of Nations Bulletin.

10 ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN UNITED STATES

1935-39 = 100



X. Other Countries—Continued

48. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED STATES¹

Classification	1945							1946						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	
Production and Related Series—														
Industrial production, 1935-39=100	220	210	186	167	162	168	163	159	154	164	163	159	170	
Mineral production, 1935-39=100	144	143	140	134	124	137	133	139	141	138	104	115	141	
Manufacturing production.....1935-9=100	233	222	195	176	168	173	170	163	154	170	174	167	175	
Cattle receipts, primary markets.....000	2,015	2,207	2,585	2,791	3,816	2,929	2,073	1,961	1,961	1,920	2,145	1,788	.....
Hog receipts, primary market.....000	1,967	1,610	1,292	1,191	1,469	2,935	2,459	3,344	2,952	2,211	2,472	2,431	.....
Sheep and lambs, receipts.....000	2,419	2,165	2,570	2,811	3,640	2,270	2,100	1,663	2,481	1,753	1,984	1,610	.....
Poultry receipts 5 markets.....000 lb.	20,245	27,688	38,041	56,772	94,226	99,208	89,018	47,187	31,034	31,348	37,278	34,765	.....
Newspaper production.....000 a. tons	60-8	57-1	56-5	56-7	62-3	62-6	61-6	67-8	60-6	65-3	67-1	65-9	61-2	
Consumption.....000 a. tons	190-5	177-9	202-9	213-3	236-9	236-1	225-4	221-1	223-2	267-7	259-0	261-4	259-3	
Pig iron consumption.....000 a. tons	4,505	4,594	3,969	4,082	3,525	4,080	4,090	.....	3,664	.....	.....	.....	.....
Steel ingot production.....000 a. tons	6,842	6,987	5,736	5,983	5,598	6,201	6,059	3,872	1,393	6,807	5,860	4,072	3,625	
Contracts awarded.....\$000,000	227-3	257-7	203-6	278-3	316-6	370-1	330-7	357-5	387-4	697-6	734-9	952-4	807-9	
Car loadings.....000 cars	4,365	3,378	3,240	4,117	3,151	3,207	3,546	2,884	2,867	3,982	2,605	2,616	4,063	
Electric power production.....mil. kw. hr.	18,834	18,954	18,625	17,008	17,671	17,358	18,109	18,408	16,193	17,800	17,477	17,673	17,621	
Tobacco Consumption—														
Cigars.....mn.	403	351	421	421	513	468	365	469	455	480	484	497	452	
Cigarettes.....mn.	24,311	21,815	28,478	26,360	31,340	25,406	16,061	25,226	23,637	26,401	25,452	29,972	26,360	
Mfd. tobacco and snuff.....000 lbs.	26,666	24,482	28,905	27,563	31,150	27,090	15,453	20,806	17,776	18,519	20,023	21,223	21,084	
Petroleum production.....mn. bbls.	145-6	151-6	151-0	132-4	132-6	135-3	138-5	143-4	132-1	136-6	140-2	148-3	.....
Consumption (to stills).....mn. bbls.	149-7	155-0	152-8	128-2	131-8	138-7	141-8	140-1	130-2	144-5	139-9	148-6	.....
Stocks, end of month	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
refinable in U.S.....mn. bbls.	218-2	216-6	215-1	220-3	221-2	218-9	218-8	223-4	227-2	221-4	225-5	221-6	.....
Gasoline production.....000 bbls.	66,968	72,505	72,318	60,077	60,504	66,873	66,058	62,126	55,492	61,899	61,160	65,191	.....
Stocks, end of month.....000 bbls.	74,089	74,400	74,270	65,489	68,039	78,061	89,360	94,115	96,293	95,186	90,444	85,891	.....
Cotton consumption.....000 bales	786	673	740	701	760	743	682	811	747	804	814	872	.....
Internal Trade—														
All retail stores.....\$000,000	6,304	5,985	6,320	6,398	7,124	7,181	8,486	6,696	6,430	7,473	7,707	7,926	7,702	
Chain stores sales.....1935-39=100	170-2	180-9	178-4	175-3	188-5	201-9	198-1	223-4	225-8	230-8	218-0	217-0	.....
Departmental stores (adjusted).....1935-39=100	202	218	200	200	213	225	216	228	254	263	250	256	275	
External Trade—														
Imports.....\$000,000	359-6	355-7	359-7	334-7	344-6	321-6	297-2	393-8	318-7	384-0	406-0	396-7	.....
Exports.....\$000,000	848-4	858-8	716-6	500-1	440-6	611-9	715-2	780-6	651-0	789-0	739-0	815-8	858-0	
Employment—Adjusted—														
Total.....000	37,465	37,231	36,888	35,161	35,029	35,338	35,005	36,333	35,924	36,727	37,138	37,480	.....
Manufacturing.....000	14,534	14,130	13,762	12,022	11,803	11,910	11,851	12,098	11,450	12,064	12,514	12,709	.....
Mining.....000	798	784	790	790	714	789	798	814	812	801	808	767	.....
Construction.....000	828	868	858	883	940	984	1,085	1,230	1,385	1,466	1,631	1,721	.....
Transportation.....000	3,792	3,801	3,803	3,774	3,806	3,871	3,916	3,956	3,986	3,989	3,942	3,885	.....
Trade.....000	7,039	7,117	7,121	7,215	7,258	7,315	7,335	7,673	7,692	7,758	7,775	7,731	.....
Pay Rolls—Manufacturing.....1939=100	314-6	298-7	267-3	224-2	222-0	222-0	226-2	229-2	210-2	232-9	249-2	248-1	257-2	
Durable goods.....1939=100	414-2	387-1	335-4	246-2	243-7	241-8	240-0	243-0	198-7	236-8	267-3	267-2	280-9	
Nondurable goods.....1939=100	217-3	212-1	200-6	202-6	202-6	204-5	212-7	215-7	221-5	229-2	231-4	229-5	234-0	

X. Other Countries—Concluded

48. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED STATES—Concluded

Classification	1945							1946						
	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July
Prices—														
Wholesale Prices—1926=100														
Department of Labour...	106-1	105-9	106-7	105-2	105-9	106-3	107-1	107-1	107-7	108-9	110-2	111-0	112-9	124-3
Bond Prices—Dollars														
All issues, New York														
S.E.	103-45	102-97	102-40	102-60	103-16	103-28	103-64	104-75	105-19	105-29	103-89	104-03	104-21	103-52
U.S. Treasury (taxable)	102-4	102-5	102-2	102-0	102-4	102-6	102-7	104-6	106-0	106-5	106-6	104-8	105-3	104-9
Prices Common Stocks ¹														
(402)														
1935-39=100	120-7	118-4	117-9	126-1	132-0	136-9	139-7	144-8	143-3	141-8	151-7	154-3	153-2	149-6
Industrials (354)	121-8	118-8	118-9	128-2	134-5	138-7	142-2	147-5	145-8	144-5	155-9	158-8	156-9	153-4
Railways (20)	144-0	140-1	130-9	137-5	145-1	154-2	157-1	164-3	159-8	153-6	156-8	157-2	161-8	153-6
Utilities (28)	105-9	107-9	107-2	110-6	114-4	120-8	120-2	124-0	123-7	122-8	127-5	129-3	130-4	127-7
Cost of living, 1935-39=100	129-0	129-4	129-2	128-9	128-9	129-2	129-9	129-9	129-6	130-2	130-9	131-5	133-5	.....
Retail Prices—														
Dec. 31, 1930=100	113-4	113-4	113-5	113-5	113-5	113-5	113-6	113-5	113-5	113-6	113-7	114-5	.....	.....
Finance—														
Stock sales, N.Y.—														
Mil. Shares	41-3	20-0	21-7	25-1	35-5	40-4	34-2	51-5	34-1	25-7	31-4	30-4	21-7	.....
Bond sales, N.Y.—														
Mil. Dollars	223-1	110-8	118-9	109-8	144-0	163-5	141-4	186-9	129-3	105-0	122-3	94-0	84-0	.....
Bank debits, N.Y.—														
Mil. Dollars	41,725	33,560	29,383	28,548	34,984	32,246	45,035	38,819	30,493	35,670	37,208	35,055	34,972	37,357
Outside, 141 countries														
Mil. Dollars	47,813	38,286	36,788	35,721	39,004	30,258	47,774	41,975	36,212	43,448	42,122	42,433	43,219	45,054
Income Payments and Expenditures—														
Income Payments—														
Mil. Dollars	14,397	13,565	12,674	13,424	13,531	13,075	14,272	13,047	12,068	13,199	12,960	12,768	14,414	.....
Index, 1935-39=100	244-6	243-4	236-0	229-0	231-4	235-7	234-1	233-5	231-7	234-7	236-4	239-7	239-0	.....
Expenditures— ⁴														
Goods, \$1000,000	17,175			17,930			21,775			19,335				
Services, \$1000,000	8,305			8,330			8,281			8,562				
Goods, adjusted														
1935-39=100	182-7			193-4			212-4			230-4				
Services—														
1935-39=100	155-5			156-9			155-2			159-1				

¹ Courtesy of the Survey of Current Business. ² Based on sample of 422 publishers. ³ Courtesy of Standard and Poor's Corporation. ⁴ Quarterly Totals.

49. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM

Classification	1945								1946				
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May
Banking—													
BANK OF ENGLAND ¹													
Private deposits..... £ mn.	235-2	253-1	282-6	282-6	273-6	288-1	283-0	274-3	276-8	279-8	274-5	306-5	302-8
Bank and currency notes..... £ mn.	1261-6	1276-0	1305-7	1325-6	1330-2	1325-1	1326-4	1350-5	1231-6	1344-7	1326-3	1348-3	1400-2
Gold reserve..... £ mn.	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2
LONDON CLEARING													
BANKS—													
Deposits..... £ mn.	4,617	4,751	4,818	4,875	4,898	4,859	4,789	4,850	4,729	4,684	4,749	4,865	4,894
Discounts..... £ mn.	120	135	181	195	215	189	296	309	361	340	379	433	470
Advances..... £ mn.	749	761	738	736	763	790	790	815	829	838	853	834	848
Investments..... £ mn.	1,126	1,127	1,123	1,126	1,146	1,178	1,201	1,234	1,230	1,241	1,246	1,282	1,322
Money—													
Day-to-day rate..... p.c.	1-13	1-13	1-13	1-13	1-13	1-13	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63
Three months rate..... p.c.	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	1-03	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52
Wholesale Prices—													
1930=100													
Cereals.....	163-9	163-4	163-9	164-7	165-1	165-1	165-2	163-9	163-2	163-4	165-4	165-6	.....
Meat, fish and eggs.....	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-8	121-4	121-4	121-9	122-0	121-9	.....
Other food and tobacco.....	180-0	190-9	194-4	192-6	185-5	185-0	185-4	185-0	185-0	184-3	184-7	185-4	.....
Total—Food and tobacco.....	156-0	159-7	161-0	160-7	158-3	158-1	158-3	157-9	157-7	157-4	158-2	158-5	.....
Total—Industrial materials and mfrs.....	174-8	175-3	175-6	175-5	175-3	175-1	174-9	175-2	179-3	178-8	178-9	179-7	.....
Total—All articles.....	168-4	170-1	170-6	170-6	169-6	169-4	169-4	169-4	172-2	171-6	171-9	172-5	.....
Basic materials.....	187-3	188-4	188-4	188-4	188-4	188-6	188-5	188-4	187-3	184-5	184-6	185-1	.....
Intermediate products.....	181-1	181-9	182-5	182-5	182-6	181-8	181-8	183-5	189-5	190-1	190-2	191-1	.....
Manufactured articles.....	160-6	160-7	160-6	160-6	160-8	160-7	160-7	161-7	168-3	168-1	168-1	169-1	.....
Employment—													
Number unemployed ²	000	.....	103	.....	.....	233	266	285	329	356	372	371	375

¹ Middle of month. ² Number of persons on the Registers of Employment Exchanges in Great Britain only.

THE VALUE OF COMMODITY PRODUCTION

FROM 1938 to 1944

The value of the production of commodities in Canada was greater during 1944 than in any other year. The increase over 1943, when a record had been established, was about five per cent. Demand for war supplies reached a turning-point in the early months of the year under review and consequently a decline has subsequently developed.

The net value of production was about two and one-third times greater than in 1938. The marked expansion indicates the transformation brought about by the urgent requirements for munitions and war supplies. Net production was valued at \$6,737 millions in 1944 against \$2,899 million in the last pre-war year.

As the index of wholesale prices advanced only 30.4 p.c. from 1938 to 1944 compared with an increase of 132.4 p.c. in the net value of production, it is evident that the gain in value was due largely to the change in volume rather than in prices. The relationship of the value and price advances in 1944 over the preceding year suggests that the volume of production was slightly greater in the later year.

The termination of war contracts upon the ending of the war in 1945 was an important factor in the reduced production of Canadian industry. The index of industrial production averaged more than 14 p.c. less in 1945 than in 1944 and the receding trend was continued in the first half of 1946. General employment was 4.3 p.c. less in 1945 than in 1944 and the showing in the first half of 1946 was progressively less favourable. The index of wholesale prices, on the other hand, was only fractionally greater in 1945 than in the year under review, while the advance was quickened somewhat during the first half of 1946. The rise in prices in the last eighteen months was doubtless insufficient to offset the decline in volume, and production in 1944 established a maximum which obviously has not been equalled during the subsequent period.

Each of the nine industrial groups except mining and construction was more productive in 1944 than in 1943. The increase in agricultural production was outstanding. The net value rose more than 23 p.c. to a total of \$1,533 million. The farm output was doubtless greater than in any other year. The percentage increase in the net value of fisheries production was 15 p.c. The total for manu-

factures moved up more than five per cent from the high level of the preceding year.

As four of the nine groups showed percentage increases greater than the gain in the Dominion total, their relative importance was enhanced in 1944 over the preceding year. The net value of agricultural production was 22.8 p.c. of the total for the nine groups compared with 19.9 p.c. in 1943. Minor betterments in relative position were also shown in forestry, trapping and custom and repair. The relative importance of manufacturing dropped from 61.0 p.c. to 59.6 p.c.

Manufactures featured the change in the relative importance of the nine groups from 1938 to 1944. The proportion of the net value of manufactured products to the grand total rose from 49.3 p.c. in the pre-war year to 59.6 p.c. during 1944. Agriculture and trapping showed minor betterment in relative importance, while the product of each of the other six groups constituted a smaller proportion of the total production.

Ontario produced about 40 p.c. of the Canadian output in 1944, leading other provinces by a considerable margin. Quebec and Saskatchewan showed increases greater than the Canadian total during the year under review over 1938. The relative importance of Quebec as a producer of commodities rose from 25.1 p.c. to 28.2 p.c. in the six years. Due mainly to the betterment in farm output the position of Saskatchewan was raised from 4.8 p.c. to 7.6 p.c. The relative importance of the other seven provinces was somewhat less in the year of maximum wartime production than in 1938. Each of the nine provinces participated in the industrial expansion of wartime. Canada's war industries were largely concentrated in the provinces of Ontario and Quebec. The increase of \$1,433 million in the commodity production of Ontario during the period under review exceeded the records of any other province. The relative increase of 161 p.c. in Quebec compared with an advance of 112.8 p.c. in Ontario. The expansion was relatively greater than in any other province in eastern Canada. The output of Nova Scotia was nearly doubled, while Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick showed gains of 23 p.c. and 13 p.c., respectively.

Production in Saskatchewan was particularly heavy during 1944 due to favourable farming conditions and the higher price level. The value of the output was about three and two-thirds greater than in 1938. The Alberta total was about doubled and Manitoba showed a gain of 116 p.c.

TABLE 50.—VALUE OF COMMODITY PRODUCTION, \$000

Gross	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944
Agriculture.....	826,737	900,384	970,014	1,013,763	1,615,453	1,524,379	1,873,825
Forestry.....	425,019	466,032	627,366	711,005	763,988	810,154	887,974
Fisheries.....	53,083	52,884	60,054	82,523	103,118	118,611	123,706
Trapping.....	6,573	7,919	11,208	15,138	23,801	21,580	23,989
Mining.....	653,782	663,343	748,344	866,293	946,021	974,415	897,407
Electric Power.....	144,332	151,881	166,229	186,080	203,835	204,802	215,246
Less: Duplication Forest Products.....	34,798	37,203	43,603	41,600	46,974	64,001	78,294
Total Primary Production...	2,074,727	2,205,240	2,539,521	2,833,202	3,609,243	3,589,939	3,943,852
Construction.....	353,223	373,204	474,123	639,751	635,650	572,427	449,838
Custom and Repair.....	156,890	160,374	164,481	192,733	208,379	213,622	243,424
Manufactures Total.....	3,337,681	3,474,784	4,529,173	6,076,308	7,553,795	8,732,861	9,073,693
Manufactures, n.e.s.....	2,727,450	2,854,456	3,728,037	5,118,859	6,482,557	7,583,964	7,912,718
Total Secondary Production...	3,847,795	4,008,361	5,167,777	6,908,792	8,397,824	9,518,910	9,766,955
Less: Duplication.....	610,231	620,328	801,137	957,449	1,071,238	1,148,897	1,160,974
Grand Total.....	5,312,290	5,593,274	6,906,161	8,784,545	10,935,829	11,959,952	12,549,833
Net							
Agriculture.....	656,016	722,263	774,023	803,185	1,351,606	1,245,843	1,533,206
Forestry.....	244,565	271,723	370,121	421,419	429,079	462,815	507,358
Fisheries.....	35,593	34,379	38,107	51,770	64,822	74,656	76,889
Trapping.....	6,573	7,919	11,208	15,138	23,801	21,580	23,989
Mining.....	374,416	393,232	448,081	497,905	514,110	475,529	454,022
Electric Power.....	142,321	149,864	163,781	183,146	200,345	200,833	209,758
Less: Duplication Forest Products.....	34,798	37,203	43,603	41,600	46,974	64,001	61,358
Total Primary Production...	1,424,685	1,542,177	1,761,627	1,930,963	2,536,789	2,417,256	2,743,864
Construction.....	176,661	183,706	206,894	269,562	310,917	293,538	249,037
Custom and Repair.....	108,936	108,821	111,608	130,778	141,395	144,952	165,174
Manufactures Total.....	1,428,287	1,531,052	1,942,471	2,605,120	3,309,974	3,816,414	4,015,776
Manufactures, n.e.s.....	1,188,801	1,277,265	1,591,626	2,194,821	2,883,772	3,405,712	3,578,731
Total Secondary Production...	1,713,884	1,823,579	2,260,973	3,005,460	3,762,286	4,254,904	4,420,987
Less: Duplication.....	239,486	253,787	350,846	410,299	426,202	410,702	437,045
Grand Total.....	2,899,082	3,111,970	3,671,755	4,526,124	5,872,873	6,261,458	6,736,806

TABLE 51.—PERCENTAGE ANALYSIS OF THE NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION

Industry	Net Value in 1938 equalling 100						
	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944
Agriculture.....	100-0	110-1	118-0	122-4	206-0	189-9	233-7
Forestry.....	100-0	111-1	151-3	172-3	175-4	189-2	207-5
Fisheries.....	100-0	96-6	107-1	145-4	182-1	209-7	216-0
Trapping.....	100-0	120-5	170-5	230-3	362-1	328-3	365-0
Mining.....	100-0	105-0	119-7	133-0	137-3	127-0	121-3
Electric Power.....	100-0	105-3	115-1	128-7	140-8	141-1	147-4
Total—Primary Production.....	100-0	108-2	123-7	135-5	178-1	170-0	192-6
Construction.....	100-0	104-0	117-1	153-6	176-0	166-2	141-0
Custom and Repair.....	100-0	99-9	102-5	120-1	130-0	133-1	151-6
Manufactures—Total.....	100-0	107-2	136-0	182-4	231-7	267-2	281-2
Manufactures, n.e.s.....	100-0	107-4	133-9	184-6	242-6	286-5	301-0
Total—Secondary Production.....	100-0	106-4	131-9	175-4	219-5	248-3	258-5
Duplication.....	100-0	106-0	146-5	171-3	178-0	171-5	182-5
Grand Total.....	100-0	107-3	126-7	156-1	202-6	216-0	232-4

Industry	Grand Total Net Production equalling 100						
	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944
Agriculture.....	22-6	23-2	21-0	17-9	23-0	19-9	22-8
Forestry.....	8-5	8-7	10-1	9-3	7-3	7-4	7-5
Fisheries.....	1-2	1-2	1-1	1-1	1-1	1-2	1-1
Trapping.....	0-2	0-3	0-3	0-3	0-4	0-3	0-4
Mining.....	12-9	12-6	12-2	11-0	8-8	7-6	6-7
Electric Power.....	4-9	4-3	4-5	4-0	3-4	3-2	3-1
Duplication Forest Production.....	1-2	1-2	1-2	0-9	0-8	1-0	0-9
Total—Primary Production.....	49-1	49-6	48-0	42-7	43-2	38-6	40-7
Construction.....	6-1	5-9	5-6	6-0	5-3	4-7	3-7
Custom and Repair.....	3-8	3-5	3-1	2-8	2-4	2-3	2-4
Manufactures—Total.....	(49-3)	(49-2)	(52-9)	(57-6)	(56-4)	(61-0)	(59-6)
Manufactures, n.e.s.....	41-0	41-0	43-3	48-5	49-1	54-4	53-1
Total—Secondary Production.....	59-2	58-6	61-6	66-4	64-1	68-0	65-8
Less: Duplication.....	8-3	8-2	9-6	9-1	7-3	6-6	6-5
Grand Total.....	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0	100-0

TABLE 52.—NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION BY PROVINCES, \$000

Province	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944
Prince Edward Island.....	8,394	9,704	10,867	11,564	15,028	19,428	18,707
Nova Scotia.....	97,169	100,427	122,247	130,513	158,569	183,565	191,415
New Brunswick.....	63,072	68,807	80,733	97,424	111,014	126,557	134,291
Quebec.....	727,605	810,805	973,090	1,259,457	1,587,012	1,817,830	1,900,732
Ontario.....	1,270,756	1,315,434	1,577,777	2,040,581	2,431,255	2,609,507	2,703,802
Manitoba.....	144,590	143,800	169,163	193,977	266,949	283,674	312,924
Saskatchewan.....	139,319	216,303	213,003	180,936	424,286	329,917	513,408
Alberta.....	205,865	198,235	231,759	230,171	383,621	319,210	409,154
British Columbia.....	238,035	241,313	286,707	373,254	485,509	563,951	547,238
Yukon and N.W. Territories.....	4,275	7,141	6,410	8,246	9,630	7,818	5,135
Totals.....	2,899,082	3,111,970	3,671,755	4,526,124	5,872,873	6,261,458	6,736,806

CANADA'S LABOUR FORCE

Information on the size and composition of the Canadian labour force at June 1 has recently been made available by the third regular quarterly survey. Unemployment in Canada during the week ended June 1 was estimated at 126,000, a substantial decline from the estimate of 213,000 at February 23, the date of the preceding survey. This total amounts to only 2.6% of the Canadian labour force. The Labour Force consists of the employed plus the unemployed and was estimated at 4,828,000 on June 1, a gain of roughly 300,000 during the quarter. Total employment increased by the even larger amount of 390,000 to reach an estimated 4,702,000.

All remaining members of the civilian non-institutional population who are 14 years of age or over are considered to be outside the labour force. This class of non-workers, so called, consists chiefly of those who were keeping house, those permanently unable or too old to work, those going to school and the retired or voluntarily idle. At June 1 this class was estimated at 3,890,000.

Employed persons are defined to include all those who worked during the week ended June 1 as well as those who had jobs but did not work at them because of illness, bad weather, vacation, labour disputes or temporary layoffs of less than 30 days. Thus, casual or part-time workers are classified as employed provided they work one hour or more in the survey week for pay or profit, or do unpaid work which contributes to the operation of a farm or business operated by a relative. An exception is made for unpaid female family workers on farms who are only classified as employed where they do more than 20 hours work that contributes to the operation of the farm as distinct from housework.

Unemployed persons include all those who were looking for work but did no work in the week in question. Thus this estimate of unemployed does not include casual or part-time workers who may at the same time be looking for a full-time job, nor does it include workers who have a job but did not work at it because of industrial disputes, or a temporary layoff. Since a substantial proportion of these workers may be registered as unplaced applicants at local National Employment Service offices, it is not surprising that the number of unplaced applicants, which was 210,404 on May 30, yields a higher estimate of unemployment.

Further analysis of the unemployed reveals that unemployment is highest in the Maritimes where it amounts to 4.8 per cent of the labour force and lowest in the prairies where it is only 1.5 per cent. In both Quebec and British Columbia the percentage of unemployment was 3.3 and in Ontario it was 2.0. The lack of severity of the present volume of unemployment is indicated by the fact that 80,000, out of the total of 126,000, had been looking for work for less than three months.

In addition only 25,000 of the total were over 45 years of age. On an industrial basis the largest single group of unemployed, 43,000, reported that their last previous job was in manufacturing, while 28,000 reported no previous civilian employment. There is no direct estimate of the number of people who are partially unemployed in the sense that they are only working part time because of their inability to secure a satisfactory full time job, rather than by choice. However, the total number of persons in non-agricultural positions who worked less than 24 hours in the survey week was estimated to be only 146,000. This would tend to indicate that the amount of partial unemployment is relatively small.

In addition to the 126,000 persons who did not work because of inability to secure employment, there were an estimated 121,000 persons who had a job at which they did not work during the week ending June 1, an increase of 16,000 over the total in this category three months earlier, mainly because of an increase in the number of persons on strike. It was estimated that 60,000 of the total were away from work because of temporary illness while nearly 20,000 others were temporarily laid off but were expecting to return to work within 30 days of the time they ceased working. The present small volume of unemployment at the end of a period during which there has been a large number of discharged servicemen available for employment is indicative of the present absorptive power of the Canadian labour market. During the six-month period between the first and third labour force surveys, the total non-institutional civilian population 14 years of age and over increased by 388,000. Of this total 98,000 represents an addition to the group of non-workers, largely accounted for by retirement of women from the labour force, while the remaining 290,000 represents an addition to the civilian labour force. Evidence of women leaving the labour force is shown by the fact that during this period the number of women employed in non-agricultural occupations declined by 72,000, while the estimated number of women among the non-worker class keeping house increased by 91,000. During the period between the first and second labour force surveys these additions to the labour force were made in the face of increasing unemployment but during the quarter ended June 1, the increased volume of employment has not only absorbed all the additions to the labour force but has also made possible a reduction of 87,000 in the number of unemployed.

Of the total increase in employment during the quarter ended June 1, about 190,000 occurred in agriculture, slightly more than half of this increase being accounted for by women working on farms. In the remaining industries total employment increased by roughly 200,000 although here female employment declined slightly. In the non-agricultural group the construction industry showed the largest increase in employment, both absolutely and relatively, rising by 87,000 to

an estimated total of 241,000. Manufacturing also showed a substantial gain of 75,000 to reach an estimated 1,256,000. A seasonal decline in forestry, fishing and trapping activities caused employment in these activities to drop by about 64,000 to an estimated 70,000. Since these estimates of employment include workers who are temporarily away from work because of industrial disputes, illness, vacation or other reasons, they do not always correspond with the index of employment which records only those actually at work and covers only employees of firms employing 15 or more persons.

These estimates are based on the results of a survey of 25,000 to 30,000 households in nearly 100 different areas scattered over Canada, or roughly one per cent of the total population. The basic information is obtained from personal interviews by field representatives with responsible members of the sample households. Enquiries are limited to a set of factual unambiguous questions, the information being recorded on standardized questionnaires. This use of a scientifically designed sample makes it possible to obtain useful statistical data on the Canadian population quickly and economically. The individual households selected for interview were originally chosen on

a purely chance basis in order to eliminate any possibility of conscious selection biasing the results. In determining the area within which the individual households were selected certain precautions were taken to ensure that the sample would be representative of the entire Canadian population, both urban and rural. For example, all cities of over 30,000 in 1931 were automatically included in the 100 original areas. In addition, small sample areas consisting of from one to ten townships were grouped into strata which would be representative of a given type of agricultural or industrial pursuit. Then one sample area was selected on a random basis from each stratum and allowed to represent all the other areas in that stratum.

The sampling method thus described is sometimes referred to as area sampling. One of its essential features is that a specified proportion of the households in a given area are enumerated. Since they are based on a specified proportion of the households the sampling results will reflect any changes in the population of the area or its characteristics, such as a movement from urban to rural areas or vice versa. In this way the sample provides an estimate of the characteristics of the population at the time the survey is taken.

53. THE LABOUR MARKET STATUS OF THE CANADIAN POPULATION

(Thousands of persons 14 years of age and over)

	Nov. 17, 1945	Feb. 23, 1946	June 1, 1946		Nov. 17, 1945	Feb. 23, 1946	June 1, 1946
Civilian Labour Force.....	4,538	4,525	4,828	Manufacturing.....	1,191	1,181	1,256
Male.....	3,388	3,511	3,732	Construction.....	184	154	241
Female.....	1,150	1,014	1,096	Transportation and Communi- cation.....	336	322	336
Employment, total.....	4,366	4,312	4,702	Trade, Finance and Insurance.....	662	635	685
Male.....	3,249	3,332	3,624	Service.....	757	732	772
Female.....	1,117	980	1,078	Total non Agricultural.....	3,310	3,229	3,428
Employed and at work.....	N.A.	4,207	4,581	Unemployment in Canada by Age—			
With a job but not at work.....	N.A.	105	121	14-19 years.....	42	41	23
Unemployment Total.....	172	213	126	20-24 years.....	36	42	29
Male.....	139	179	108	25-44 years.....	59	82	49
Female.....	33	34	18	Over 45 years.....	35	48	25
Unemployment as Per Cent of Labour Force—				Unemployment according to number of months looking for work—			
All Canada.....	3.8	4.7	2.6	Under 1 month.....	27	22	16
Maritimes.....	4.4	6.8	4.8	1 to 3 months.....	114	131	64
Quebec.....	4.8	5.9	3.3	4 to 6 months.....	23	47	25
Ontario.....	3.4	3.6	2.0	Over 6 months.....	(-)	13	21
Prairies.....	2.5	3.7	1.5	Non-workers total.....	3,792	4,013	3,890
British Columbia.....	4.5	5.6	3.3	Male.....	645	704	641
Employment by Regions—				Female.....	3,147	3,309	3,249
Maritimes.....	370	372	414	Distribution of non-workers—			
Quebec.....	1,247	1,206	1,289	Permanently unable or too old to work.....	255	289	283
Ontario.....	1,504	1,504	1,618	Keeping house.....	2,632	2,733	2,712
Prairies.....	904	877	1,007	Going to school.....	575	638	579
British Columbia.....	341	353	374	Retired or voluntarily idle.....	299	317	292
Total Employment by Indus- try—				Other.....	31	26	24
Agriculture.....	1,056	1,083	1,274				
Forestry, Fishing and Trap- ping.....	111	134	70				
Mining.....	69	71	68				

¹ Civilian non-institutional population 14 years of age and over estimated on the basis of interviews with 25,000 households in 100 different areas across Canada.

(-) Indicates that the estimated total is less than 10,000 and should be used with considerable caution as the sampling error associated with it is relatively large. (N.A.)=not available.

54. CANADA'S TRADE WITH COUNTRIES GRANTED LOANS UNDER EXPORT CREDITS ACT.

(Millions of Dollars)

Country	Loans Granted Under Export Credits Act	Exports to	Imports from	Exports to	Imports from
		during Year Ended June 1946		Average for years 1935 to 1939	
France.....	242.5	77.8	1.2	8.6	6.4
Belgium.....	100.0	63.7	1.9	13.2	6.3
China.....	60.0	19.6	1.3	3.8	3.4
Czechoslovakia.....	19.0	13.1	.1	.9	2.0
Netherlands.....	125.0	55.9	1.3	10.1	4.0
Netherlands East Indies.....	15.0	5.0	.....	.8	.8
Norway.....	13.0	17.0	.4	7.2	.8
	574.5	252.1	6.2	44.6	23.7

55. HISTORICAL SURVEY, 1919-1945

7. Employment, 1935-9=100

Year	Total	Manu- facturing	Mining	Con- struction	Trans- portation	Trade
1921.....	81.8	81.5	66.9	70.5	111.9	71.2
22.....	82.0	82.1	67.9	76.1	116.3	69.7
23.....	88.2	89.8	72.5	80.3	119.3	70.7
24.....	86.0	85.9	71.9	79.7	117.8	71.0
25.....	86.2	86.4	68.1	84.2	114.9	73.0
1926.....	91.7	92.6	68.1	98.4	118.5	76.2
27.....	96.3	96.1	73.0	108.1	121.9	82.5
28.....	102.8	102.3	78.1	117.9	125.9	89.2
29.....	109.6	108.8	82.0	128.7	130.4	96.9
30.....	104.4	101.3	80.4	128.8	124.4	98.1
1931.....	94.4	88.6	73.5	130.4	113.9	94.9
32.....	80.6	78.4	67.7	85.3	100.7	89.2
33.....	76.8	75.2	66.6	74.1	93.9	86.1
34.....	88.4	83.8	75.6	108.4	95.5	90.6
35.....	91.5	90.2	84.1	97.0	96.6	93.8
1936.....	95.5	96.1	93.2	87.5	100.0	97.9
37.....	105.1	106.3	104.5	98.7	101.3	101.5
38.....	103.0	103.1	106.4	104.6	100.4	101.8
39.....	104.9	104.3	111.8	112.1	101.8	104.9
40.....	114.4	122.0	114.9	90.0	106.7	109.8
1941.....	140.2	156.5	120.5	125.6	117.0	120.2
42.....	159.9	206.0	116.9	129.3	125.4	119.9
43.....	169.5	214.6	108.2	128.8	136.0	119.1
44.....	168.5	208.6	105.5	103.8	144.1	126.1
45.....	161.2	189.2	100.3	108.2	148.2	134.2

- Indexes of Employment as published by the Employment Branch of the Bureau, transferred to the base of 1935-1939=100 by dividing by the average for the five years.
- The Index of Cost of Living as published by the Prices Branch of the Bureau. Wholesale Price Indexes published by the same Branch, transferred to the base of 1935-1939=100 by dividing by the average for the five years.
- Banking figures as given in reports of Cheques Cashied against Individual Accounts and Money Supply. Government Revenues and Expenditures are as published by Canada Gazette.

HISTORICAL SURVEY, 1919-1945—Concluded

8. Prices, 1935-9=100

Year	Cost of Living	Wholesale Prices				
		Total	Con- sumers Goods	Pro- ducers Goods	Raw and Partly Manu- factured	Fully and Chiefly Manu- factured
1919.....	126.5	173.8	151.2	186.9	180.1	173.6
20.....	145.4	202.2	178.6	219.7	213.0	205.6
1921.....	129.9	142.7	142.9	151.5	148.2	152.6
22.....	120.4	126.2	127.2	132.1	131.0	131.9
23.....	120.7	127.1	124.3	130.5	125.9	135.5
24.....	118.8	128.9	123.6	132.9	131.0	133.0
25.....	119.8	133.1	127.3	140.2	139.3	136.4
1926.....	121.8	129.7	131.2	133.7	138.3	131.4
27.....	119.9	126.7	125.6	131.7	138.1	126.8
28.....	120.5	125.0	125.5	129.3	134.6	124.8
29.....	121.7	124.0	124.3	128.5	134.8	122.2
30.....	120.8	112.3	117.2	110.3	113.6	114.7
1931.....	109.1	93.5	100.0	99.7	85.6	98.3
32.....	99.0	86.5	93.6	83.4	76.0	91.7
33.....	94.4	87.0	93.3	84.4	78.2	92.2
34.....	95.6	92.9	97.2	90.6	87.8	96.5
35.....	96.2	93.5	96.6	92.9	91.2	95.7
1936.....	98.1	96.8	98.0	96.8	97.9	96.7
37.....	101.2	109.7	104.3	115.1	116.5	105.8
38.....	102.2	101.9	101.3	101.3	100.5	102.8
39.....	101.5	97.8	99.6	94.1	93.3	98.9
40.....	105.6	107.5	109.4	105.2	104.1	107.1
1941.....	111.7	116.7	119.6	111.8	113.1	116.7
42.....	117.0	124.0	125.5	118.0	124.5	120.8
43.....	118.4	129.7	127.3	127.1	137.0	122.3
44.....	118.9	132.9	127.8	133.6	143.7	123.0
45.....	119.5	134.4	128.7	134.6	146.0	123.5

9. Banking and Government Finance

Year	Notice Deposits	Sum of Four Classes of Deposits	Current Loans	Security Holdings	Dominion Government	
					Revenues	Expendi- tures
					(\$000's)	
1919.	1,125,202	1,950,700	1,091,949	525,322	349,746	786,031
1920.	1,239,308	2,102,900	1,342,763	379,214	436,292	528,303
1921.	1,289,347	1,979,500	1,246,018	368,970	382,272	463,523
1922.	1,191,637	1,806,900	1,122,256	332,166	403,094	434,735
1923.	1,197,277	1,805,300	1,052,132	401,792	406,583	370,589
1924.	1,198,246	1,798,100	979,154	502,562	351,515	351,170
1925.	1,269,543	1,859,100	902,845	505,506	382,893	355,186
1926.	1,340,559	1,946,800	934,023	532,817	400,452	358,557
1927.	1,399,062	2,066,100	1,024,273	520,971	429,643	378,608
1928.	1,496,608	2,238,100	1,177,484	522,628	460,151	388,806
1929.	1,479,870	2,278,600	1,342,667	499,015	445,917	398,176
1930.	1,427,570	2,126,200	1,285,837	471,637	356,161	440,009
1931.	1,437,977	2,089,900	1,123,601	674,357	336,721	459,956
1932.	1,376,325	1,944,300	1,032,081	695,759	311,735	532,369
1933.	1,378,498	1,929,000	906,478	841,152	324,661	458,158
1934.	1,372,818	1,952,600	868,941	866,726	361,974	478,107
1935.	1,445,281	2,078,700	828,722	1,044,352	372,596	532,586
1936.	1,518,217	2,213,700	698,600	1,330,809	454,154	532,005
1937.	1,573,655	2,354,900	731,660	1,426,371	516,693	534,408
1938.	1,630,432	2,415,357	786,145	1,439,667	502,171	553,063
1939.	1,699,224	2,586,713	854,512	1,540,330	562,093	680,794
1940.	1,646,891	2,748,983	968,548	1,579,467	864,551	1,241,983
1941.	1,616,129	3,025,896	1,090,765	1,726,543	1,483,458	1,879,988
1942.	1,644,842	3,332,956	1,074,703	2,073,472	2,240,344	4,377,972
1943.	1,864,178	4,004,837	1,052,703	2,713,940	2,765,018	5,322,254
1944.	2,272,573	4,706,035	1,022,118	3,353,260	2,687,334	5,245,612
1945.	2,750,358	5,389,081	1,100,493	3,857,533	2,955,604	4,691,307

56. CURRENT PRODUCTION AND SALES, 1946

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Production—						
MINING—						
Silver.....	ounces	1,204,506	1,041,585	1,165,684	1,055,917	1,037,921
Lead.....	lbs.	34,069,146	30,477,148	31,287,569	30,884,007	30,050,050
Zinc.....	lbs.	41,734,017	39,784,315	42,967,226	41,594,847	40,904,913
Copper.....	lbs.	32,021,065	27,068,802	32,343,606	31,886,954	30,993,228
Nickel.....	lbs.	13,823,097	12,450,169	15,677,068	18,479,620	14,733,775
Cement.....	barrels	783,205	604,083	704,425	849,934	857,190
Asbestos—	s. tons	36,863	33,032	38,685	46,134	45,142
Crude No. 1.....		28	22	26	24	
Crude No. 2.....		69	54	55	59	85
Other Crudes.....		9	13	20	14	
Spinning Stocks.....		2,116	1,520	1,823	2,341	1,984
Shingle Stocks.....		8,470	7,085	7,250	8,276	9,204
Paper Stocks.....		5,022	4,710	8,090	8,449	8,117
Waste, stucco or plaster.....		5,899	5,042	5,200	7,056	7,261
Refuse or shorts.....		15,250	14,586	16,221	19,915	18,541
Salt—	s. tons	57,092	56,022	61,532	60,254	60,118
Industrial.....		33,589	30,786	34,713	32,278	31,235
Commercial.....		23,503	25,236	26,819	27,976	28,883
Natural Gas.....	M cu. ft.	5,640,088	5,231,455	4,627,323	3,971,893	3,682,841
MANUFACTURING—						
Sawmills—	M b. ft.	84,677	101,759	108,422	77,048	
Softwoods—		78,181	92,148	95,525	57,982	
Spruce and Balsam Fir.....		69,011	79,274	81,133	41,755	
Jack Pine.....		4,532	5,630	6,104	3,835	
Hemlock.....		1,253	2,309	2,104	3,388	
Red Pine.....		442	684	972	1,219	
White Pine.....		2,343	3,575	4,191	6,778	
Others.....		600	676	1,021	1,007	
Hardwoods—		6,496	9,611	12,897	19,066	
Yellow Birch.....		2,961	4,660	6,222	9,954	
Maple.....		1,149	1,675	2,159	3,727	
Basewood.....		333	680	764	1,900	
Others.....		2,053	2,896	3,732	3,486	
Iron and Steel—						
Primary Products—						
Pig iron.....	s. tons	143,685	143,171	158,049	142,240	150,101
Ferro-alloys.....	s. tons	10,878	10,872	8,405	13,083	14,004
Steel Ingots and Castings.....	s. tons	244,623	233,893	249,117	247,519	259,626
Steel Wire.....	s. tons	23,781	20,740	23,547	23,332	24,280
Plain Wire.....		17,253	15,287	16,978	16,746	17,414
Galvanized Wire.....		5,075	4,036	5,066	5,068	5,250
Other Coated Wire.....		413	558	399	572	483
Barbed Wire.....		1,040	859	1,114	1,146	1,133
Nails, Tacks and Staples—	s. tons	6,804	5,090	6,096	6,773	7,265
Wire Nails.....		6,394	5,531	5,614	6,276	6,730
Cut Nails.....		82	90	98	74	77
Wire Staples.....		126	154	162	223	224
Tacks.....		202	215	222	200	234
Wire Fencing—	s. tons	2,385	1,887	2,100	2,473	2,409
Woven Farm Wire.....		2,831	1,749	1,968	2,347	2,242
Woven Lawn Wire.....		17	13	9		11
Woven Chain Link Fabric.....		137	125	132	126	156
Non-Ferrous Metals—						
Domestic Washing Machines—						
Electric.....		7,722	8,129	8,239	8,699	9,558
Gasoline.....		468	555	524	1,095	1,159
Hand.....		752	631	650	651	660
Electric Refrigerators.....		2,384	3,295	4,189	5,299	5,523
Breweries and Distilleries—						
Beer.....	Imp. Gal.	33,009,000	33,009,000	11,557,253	13,819,430	13,146,480
Liquor.....	Proof Gal.	8,071,000	8,071,000	1,636,190	1,685,626	1,721,645

¹ Figures do not include returns for British Columbia. Returns from 783 sawmills were compiled for April, accounting for 55.4 per cent of the total output east of the Rockies in 1944. Coverages for Jan., Feb., and March were 64.3 per cent, 65.1 per cent and 65.1 per cent, respectively.

² National Revenue Department. Figures are subject to revision.

³ New alcohol only.

XI. Appendix—Concluded

56. CURRENT PRODUCTION AND SALES, 1946—Concluded

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June
Non-Metallic Minerals—						
Petroleum Products—						
Aviation Gasoline.....	bbls. 2,204	29,777	16,098	15,706	19,485	
Motor Gasoline.....	bbls. 2,230,309	1,796,157	2,258,492	2,279,775	2,882,581	
Tractor Distillate.....	bbls. 61,946	42,935	58,374	91,333	195,384	
Kerosene and Stove Oil.....	bbls. 267,604	183,136	253,626	221,522	281,320	
Light Fuel Oils.....	bbls. 408,172	506,110	622,243	557,270	838,392	
Heavy Fuel Oils.....	bbls. 1,134,434	1,123,880	1,340,154	1,181,302	1,464,650	
Asphalt.....	bbls. 116,357	116,706	145,762	122,221	229,740	
Coke.....	bbls. 8,559	23,004	22,764	33,673	37,727	
Lubricating Oils.....	bbls. 111,784	95,720	139,285	124,238	138,892	
Grease.....	bbls. 3,683	4,391	5,620	6,749	8,010	
Wax and candles.....	bbls. 3,174	8,185	6,363	7,226	9,370	
Polymer Feed Stocks.....	bbls. 35,002	19,883	39,384	70,629	66,729	
Rock Wool—						
Four-inch Batts.....	sq. ft. 59,570	44,975	59,270	66,510	103,290	
Three-inch Batts.....	sq. ft. 777,780	1,017,940	1,225,285	1,259,795	1,007,505	
Two-inch Batts.....	sq. ft. 2,062,840	2,142,430	2,397,795	2,451,905	1,757,200	
One-inch Batts.....	sq. ft. 384,400	249,140	173,050	1,560	10,800	
Granulated Wool.....	cu. ft. 502,322	436,790	622,430	640,362	690,685	
Bulk or Loose Wool.....	cu. ft. 60,739	58,050	81,514	85,744	64,555	
Industrial Wool.....	cu. ft. 44,181	59,786	80,741	70,370	54,931	
Asphalt Roofing—						
Asphalt Shingles—						
210 lb. squares.....		75,014	104,890	95,765	122,368	100,898
Other.....		53,437	56,411	41,246	78,867	52,891
Smooth Surfaced Rolls.....	sq. 120,972	93,475	104,263	132,114	108,890	121,531
Mineral Surfaced Rolls.....	sq. 80,471	101,894	113,705	118,164	123,927	127,867
Tar and Asphalt Felts.....	tons 3,125	2,229	2,429	2,931	3,902	3,537
Tar and Asphalt Sheathing—						
Kraft Base.....	tons 514	613	492	551	487	450
Other Base.....	tons 572	438	676	507	519	572
Sales—						
Radio Receiving Sets—						
Electric Standard Broadcast.....	No. 23,757	19,094	22,505	26,265		
	\$ 729,538	573,384	650,980	819,063		
Electric Short Wave.....	No. 3,731	9,853	8,756	5,927		
	\$ 225,995	521,788	484,773	306,278		
Combinations Standard Broadcast.....	No. 6	914	1,866	1,341		
	\$ 447	73,208	142,644	113,395		
Combinations Short Wave.....	No. 90	73,431	72,077	139,418		
	\$ 90	545	605	1,049		
Battery: Standard Broadcast.....	No. 2,795	4,477	8,337	8,157		
	\$ 85,144	160,553	314,320	269,668		
Portables: Battery.....	No. 1,369	608	129			
	\$ 39,900	17,137	3,498			
Manufactured Gas.....						
	M cu. ft. 2,284,032	2,196,695	2,149,614	2,028,054	2,084,816	1,920,857
	\$ 1,979,548	1,894,945	1,899,002	1,818,164	1,948,035	1,834,644
Domestic Use.....						
	M cu. ft. 1,214,028	1,137,018	1,139,308	1,099,987	1,226,097	1,167,876
	\$ 1,269,389	1,192,990	1,204,946	1,171,720	1,327,083	1,276,227
House Heating.....						
	M cu. ft. 309,958	309,569	253,122	185,060	122,324	74,630
	\$ 156,534	155,267	129,250	97,802	69,997	49,331
Industrial Use.....						
	M cu. ft. 393,968	383,905	400,138	395,500	391,575	355,215
	\$ 238,881	234,565	251,287	242,187	241,727	218,430
Commercial Use.....						
	M cu. ft. 361,343	361,857	355,852	346,278	343,635	321,949
	\$ 310,515	307,766	309,416	302,207	305,119	286,479
Miscellaneous.....						
	M cu. ft. 4,135	4,349	1,194	1,229	1,195	1,187
	\$ 4,229	4,357	4,203	4,238	4,111	4,177
Paints, Varnishes and Lacquers.....						
	\$ 3,844,843	3,970,378	4,680,798	5,484,554	5,922,712	
Domestic Clay Products—						
Building Brick.....	M 15,421	13,079	16,980	17,829	21,347	
	\$ 376,268	318,875	408,222	430,449	533,303	
Structural Tile.....	ton 8,428	7,117	9,387	10,250	13,968	
	\$ 91,857	76,761	96,961	111,298	154,911	
Drain Tile.....	M 611	476	822	1,187		
	\$ 23,017	19,459	20,122	22,313	45,087	
Sewer Pipe.....	\$ 93,006	96,264	111,970	115,683	115,063	
Fireclay Blocks and Shapes.....	\$ 19,798	16,976	21,222	13,489	15,723	
Pottery.....	\$ 111,907	111,184	99,935	97,996	103,676	
Other Clay Products.....	\$ 50,013	44,739	40,694	47,741	51,651	
Electric Batteries—						
Internal Combustion.....	No. 124,451	109,242	109,877	88,809	99,102	85,433
	\$ 680,859	581,616	584,029	504,271	430,883	471,473
Farm Lighting Cells.....	\$ 8,971	8,070	10,430	2,172	5,970	6,657
	\$ 51,208	59,794	50,275	41,191	42,855	39,021
Railway Service Cells.....	No. 520	748	920	768	669	218
	\$ 12,420	16,346	22,875	21,755	13,303	6,590
Motorcycle Batteries.....	No. 907	1,264	1,223	817	1,377	484
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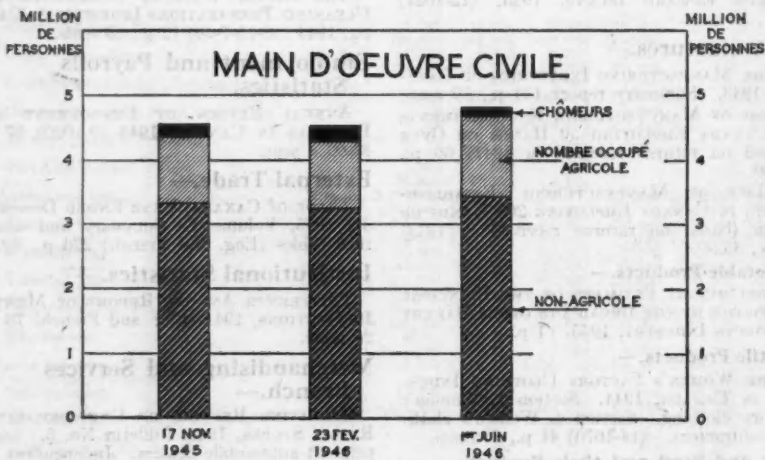
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